

POPE LEO PASSES FROM MORTAL LIFE, DEATH OCCURRING THIS AFTERNOON.

ANGEL OF DEATH VISITS VATICAN.

Pontificate of Leo

Was Brought to a Peaceful Close at
4:04 O'clock Today.

Eternal City Is in Mourning

And the Civilized World Keenly Feels the Loss
of One of the Greatest Intellectual Men of
the Age—Last Words of the Pontiff
Were a Benediction.

Rome, July 20, 4:20 p. m.—The Pope died shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon. His last moments were comparatively peaceful and painless, and were preceded by a period of insensibility. Around the bed-side at the final moment were the cardinals, the relatives and the members of the papal court. Before lapsing into unconsciousness the dying Pontiff feebly moved his lips, and his last articulate words were those used in bestowing a benediction.

Gradually the shadow of death spread over the Pontiff, his extremities became cold, his features assumed the fixed rigidity of death, and Dr. Laponi noted his last fluttering heart-beats, which gradually became slower and slower, until they finally stopped.

The news of the Pope's death spread rapidly throughout Rome, and caused a most profound sensation. The whole city is in mourning.

Europe Received News via New York.

London, July 20.—Europe received the first news of the death of the Pope through a dispatch to Reuter's agency from the Associated Press office in New York. At half past six this evening with the exception of the Havas agency, in Paris, no other European agency had news of the event.

State Department Notified.
Washington, July 20.—Charge d'Affairs Iddings, at Rome, has notified that state department that the Pope died this afternoon at 4:04.

FALCONIO
Notified of Pope's Death by Associated Press.

Washington, July 20.—The news of the death of the Pope was communicated to Monsignor Falconio, the papal delegate here, by the Associated Press, at 12:45 o'clock this afternoon. Neither Monsignor Falconio nor Bishop Rooker, who was with him at the time, would make a statement but as soon as he receives the official announcement of the Pope's death, Mgr. Falconio will issue an order to the bishops under his jurisdiction, which includes all those in the United States. Informally this will be made first through the press, as the most prompt manner of communicating the sad intelligence to the following by mail is as quickly as these can be prepared. The bishops in turn will issue circulars to the churches of their dioceses announcing the Pope's death and indicating the character of services to be held. The bishops will celebrate Pontifical mass, probably in

the Cathedrals of their dioceses, while funeral masses will be held in all Catholic churches.

Monsignor Falconio also will send a message of condolence to Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state.

After the interment of the Pope, prayers will be held in the Catholic churches asking that divine guidance may attend the labors of the consistory in their election of a successor to Leo XIII. Mgr. Falconio, in all probability, will celebrate Pontifical mass in one of the Catholic churches of Washington.

HAY
Cabled the Vatican This Nation's Profound Sense of Loss.

Washington, July 20.—The state department, upon learning of the death of the Pope, sent the following telegram to Cardinal Rampolla:

The Vatican, Rome.
Cardinal Rampolla:
"The president desires me to express his profound sense of the loss which the Christian world has sustained in the death of His Holiness, Leo XIII. By his lofty character, his great learning, and his comprehensive charity, he adorned his exalted sta-

tion and made his reign one of the most illustrious as it has been one of the longest in the history of the Catholic church.

JOHN HAY.

PRESIDENT

Expressed Profound Regret Over the Death of the Pontiff.

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 20.—President Roosevelt was deeply touched by the

ever have evoked, save unusual grandeur of soul and unusual feats, the offspring of that grandeur. In the death of Leo, humanity realizes that an orb of light, such as is seldom seen to dominate the high skies of its moral and intellectual firmament, has fallen. A might void which soon again may not be filled. Great and good Leo truly was, fashioned so by nature and by grace divine. What a mind. Loftiest it was in vision, reaching out to vastest horizons, soaring upward to highest regions of thought and truth. To have sat at his knee and heard him tell of the sights he saw, of the dreams he dreamt, of the purposes, of the plans begotten of his sights and dreams, was to be made to forget for a moment earth's common and destiny as prophets behold it. Greatness includes goodness or at least without goodness, greatness is no boon to humanity. Leo was a

sovereign and humanity one of its noblest thinkers and highest exemplars of fidelity to God given duty. Leo's services were, of course, primarily to the church. Leo made the church known to the modern world, as she wished to be made known as she has not before been known. By dint of wise words and acts, he tore to shreds the thick veils of prejudice and misunderstanding which, as the sequence of strifes and controversies of centuries has been hiding its features from the eyes of millions of the non-Catholic world. He brought close to the church the new age of humanity, and put beyond all doubting the fact that the most cherished aspirations of the age, not only received countenance from the church, but had grown out of its spirit and teachings. Liberty, civil and political, individual rights, education, the progress of science, and of discovery, the material comfort of the



POPE LEO XIII IN PONTIFICAL ROBE.

death of Pope Leo. At his home on Sagamore Hill, on being informed of the demise of the venerable head of the Catholic church, he dictated the following for the Associated Press:

"The president expresses his profound regret at the death of the venerable Pontiff, whose long career, no less than his exalted character has commanded the respect of all Christendom. The president said that in uttering these sentiments, he was giving expression to the feeling of all people in the United States, wholly without regard to their religious faiths."

IRELAND
Paid the Following Tribute to the Dead Pontiff.

St. Paul, Minn., July 20.—Upon receipt of the news of the death of Pope Leo, Archbishop Ireland paid the following tribute to the dead pontiff: "In Leo, a truly great and good man, passes from earth. The extraordinary, the unparalleled interest with which the world this last fortnight kept vigil around the Vatican, where the old hero dangled dramatically with grim death, is the magnificent tribute to Leo, which nothing could

good man; he shone in every virtue, his life was unswerving. He was deeply imbued with the spirit of faith. He lived and worked purely for God and for men. Most high minded disinterestedness of purpose, most absolute ordering of self to the duties of his exalted office characterized all his thoughts and acts made, he was to win the hearts of men. He was simple and loving as a child in his intimate relations with people, who came into his presence; considerate and tactful, sweet of temper and kindest of word. He met kings and peasants, men of highest social rank and of the lowest—all bowed before his graciousness, and whispered to him words of affection and devotion. A great man requires besides his native greatness, greatness in setting, greatness in opportunities. All this was given in superabundance to Leo. There is no other post of honor and duty so elevated, so sublime as the Roman Pontificate. Into that Pontificate Leo entered. In it he reigned as only two of his predecessors reigned, a quarter of a century—leaving posterity to say, as he closes the last pages of his record, that in him, the Catholic church has had one of the most wonderful of her wonderful

masses—all this, Leo in the name of the church, blessed and advocated. Today, the Catholic church is universally admitted to be in the van of humanity's forward march and for this, Leo is to be thanked. Said he to a bishop from America, one day: "Oh, America. It is the future. Leo's clear vision of things far away in time as well as in space, had endeared America to him. As no other statesman in Europe, Leo understood America—its possibilities and the meaning of its institutions."

EMOTION
Among Americans Who Were Told Pope Was Dying.

Rome, July 20.—1:05 p. m.—At 11:40 a. m. there was great alarm at the Vatican, as the Pope was suffering from a grave increase of cardiac affection. Dr. Laponi really thought the end had arrived and Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli, the grand penitentiary, began the prayers for the dying and gave the Pontiff absolution in articulo mortis. His death was considered so imminent that all the Cardinals were present and the mem-

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BEAVERS IS DENIED

Preliminary Hearing in Indictments Against Him by Federal Jury.

His Attorney Characterises Course of District Attorney as Irregular in as Much as It Forbids His Client Knowing Nature of Charges.

New York, July 20.—Counsel for George W. Beavers, former superintendent of the bureau of salaries and allowances of the postoffice department, against whom two indictments have been found by the federal grand jury in Brooklyn, made a statement today saying that he has communicated with District Attorney Young, offering to produce Mr. Beavers before a United States commissioner for a preliminary hearing, but that Col. Youngs did not care to accept that offer. The statement characterises the course of the district attorney as irregular and unfair. "Inasmuch as it denies him (Beavers) the opportunity of a preliminary hearing and precludes him from ascertaining anything of the nature of the charge against him to the date of his trial," it continues: "For some weeks past our client had resided in the borough of Manhattan attending to private business matters and at the time the indictments were found against him in Brooklyn, Mr. Beavers was in the borough of Manhattan. This circumstance entitles him to a preliminary hearing before the commission in this district. We may add that the reports repeatedly circulated in the press that Mr. Beavers has at any time, offered to turn state's evidence are absolutely false. As counsel for Mr. Beavers, we have advised him not to make any statement in reference to this matter. At the proper time he will take such action as may be necessary to demonstrate his innocence of the charges brought against him."

DISTRICT ATTORNEY KILLED.

New Orleans, Louisiana, July 20.—District Attorney J. Ward Guerley has been assassinated in his office in the Mabeca building by Clarence B. Lyons, a cotton roller. Lyons, after killing the district attorney, turned the weapon on himself and shot himself fatally.

WHOLE LIFE OF THE LATE POPE

Was Faithfully and Eventfully Devoted to the Sacred Cause of His Church.

His late Holiness was born at Carpi, in the diocese of Anagni, in the papal states, on March 2, 1810, being christened under the name of Joachim Vincent. The society of Jesus, which it was afterwards the first care of his pontificate to restore to its ancient position in the councils of the church, was entrusted with his education, young Pecci being sent at the age of eight years to the Jesuit college at Viterbo, where he remained until his fourteenth year. At this time his mother died and he shortly afterwards proceeded to Rome to continue his studies at the Jesuit college in that city. When he was eighteen years old he secured the first prize for chemistry and physics. His aptitude for natural science, however, in no way interfered with his taste for literature and classical studies, and even in those early days he was remarkable for the elegance and purity of his Latin, which subsequently found such notable expression not only in his encyclicals and ecclesiastical work but in the higher plane of poetry. He obtained, in 1831, the degree of doctor of divinity and entered the academy of Noble Ecclesiastics to study law and diplomacy and thus qualify himself for joining what may be termed the papal diplomatic service and become conversant with the system of the spiritual government. It is from the rank of this official body that, in these days, a new Pontiff is almost invariably chosen. In 1837 Joachim Pecci received the sub-diaconate and diaconate and on March 14, of the same year Gregory XVI made him a domestic prelate, his first promotion, with the title of Monsignor. On December 23, 1837, he was ordained priest by Cardinal Odescalchi, saying his first mass in the chapel of St. Stanislaus at the Jesuit Noviciate of St. Andrea. Early in 1838 Mgr. Pecci was named governor of the papal province of Benevento and, like Sixtus V., busied himself with the suppression of brigandage. In connection with this work the following story was told of Mgr. Pecci. A certain marquis called one day to protest against what he considered the interference of the governor and informed the latter that he was just starting for Rome to procure his recall. (Continued on page 7.)

WIDOW CAUSED A MURDER.

Lamar, Mo., July 20.—Ex-Marshall James M. Rice was fatally shot at the home of Claude East by Bert Cochran. It is said the two men were rivals for the affections of Mrs. C. B. Martin, a widow, and quarreled. Rice is a prominent politician.

FROM Every Point of View There Is Not Another Human Being Under Heaven

Who Should Carry So Light
a Heart and Contented
Mind
As American Farmer. He Is Most
Independent Person on Earth
and Independence Is Correla-
tive With Happiness.

The Kansas City Journal in a recent editorial thus exalts "The American Farmer."

"When the American farmer rises early in the morning it is to look over broad and fertile acres that are his own. When he goes forth it is to fields that no human being can lawfully step upon without his consent. When he gathers and garners the harvest he stores up what in a vast majority of cases no greedy and rapacious landlord can take from him. The proceeds of it are to clothe and feed him and his family and educate his children. To be the support of his old age and the heritage of his posterity. Looked at from every point of view it is doubtful if there is another human being under the heavens who has more cause for carrying a light heart and a contented mind for regarding the past with satisfaction and the future with hope than the American Farmer."

This is a political but true the American farmer should be if he is not the most independent person on the face of the earth, and if independence is correlated with happiness, he should be the happiest under ordinary conditions. But the farmer like every one else must bow to circumstances beyond his control. He may be willing to share his prosperity with the world, but unable to do so, and he may find that prosperity for the very reason that he is unable to share it. That statement sounds somewhat paradoxical, I will admit, but I think I can demonstrate this truth.

Suppose a farmer has ten thousand acres of ripened wheat, tossing to and fro in the summer breeze like an ocean of gold. There is a fortune in that field, it represents the matured crop of weeks of hard labor, faithful attendance, anxiety as to weather conditions—storms, droughts and floods. But the weather has been propitious, the rain has descended gently, the sun has shone benignantly, the soil has sprouted in the fertile soil, it has shot tender stalks up above the mould, it has grown and ripened and now it waves in the summer breeze, whispering and nodding, as if conscious of its beauty and worth.

And the farmer looks forth upon this scene of wealth and beauty, there is no smile on his face; but in its place a frown of perplexity and chagrin. Why is he not sensible of the beauty which the Lord of the Harvest has laid at his feet? To the farmer which has rewarded his labors? He is; but his labors are not yet ended—the harvest is not yet gathered.

It is manifestly impossible for one pair of hands or two, or three, to cut and rake and bind and stack and thresh and store that great crop, smiling in his face in its tantalizing magnificence—and he can contain no help. Gladly would he share his

with the neighbor or with others, could he obtain the aid necessary to reap the benefit of the crop before him. But his neighbors are in the same situation as himself; they too, know not how to gather the abundance of their fields; they have advertised for help; they have offered generous wages but the help is not to be had. It must come quickly, or it will be worthless; for the wheat must be gathered within a short time or the harvest will be spoiled and the weeks and months of toil will be wasted as surely as though devastated by flood or by fire.

Stories have been frequently published, telling how negroes, out in Kansas, taking advantage of the condition, have been auctioneering their services to the highest bidders and some of them have in this manner succeeded in obtaining as high as \$6 a day for their labor in the harvest fields.

Think of that, toilers in the city, stuffing in your tenements and sweat-shops. Think of that, fathers and mothers whose children's bare feet are pressed to the burning pavement, while the babies vainly gasp for a breath of God's pure air; while the mother toils at the wash tub and the father brings home his scanty wages, of tramps the street in fruitless search for employment. Why will you continue in the cities, where the miserable strife for a bare existence grows harder every day?

And you toilers of the country, who desert the green fields and waving woods for the prison walls of the city—why are you so foolish? Why do you deliberately add to the seething population, to the distress, the poverty and the burdens of the great municipalities, when nature stands with beckoning hand and welcoming smile, inviting you to partake of the rich fruits of her bounty?

And you, you authorities replete the government. Why do you encourage the constantly increasing immigration of the hordes of Europe, who further crowd and burden our already too heavily laden cities? Why do you not direct your efforts to the transportation of our own people from the prison cities of the east to the freedom of the west? Why do you not lead your talents and the resources of the government to the problem of equalizing the population?

If the United States of America stands for anything it stands for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness; it was to permit its citizens to enjoy all of these that the government was constituted. Surely, it is the duty of that government to contribute, by every means within its power, to that end. Be, then, less mindful of the words of other nations, of the pauper hordes of Europe. Take your hand from China and your eyes from Russia and try to better the condition of your own. Of your own? Of your self. For is it not our government constituted of the people, the people for the people? If you would have America achieve that true greatness and happiness which is her right and due, give practical, substantial aid along these lines and thus help it to solve the vexing problem presented by the present relations of labor and capital.

CURIOUS DICTIONARY.

A humorous dictionary compiler has given the following amongst definitions. Yankee, a British, who has had his head turned with too much success, friend, an obsolete word, sometimes still found in old writings; faithfulness, the difference between dogs and men, uncle a term of endearment commonly applied to pawnbrokers, newspaper gas, rendered visible; journalist, see philanthropist, editor, see camel, also wild ass, also galley slave; printer, a man who makes waste paper; devil, a young gentleman engaged in the printing trade—Exchange.

If You Have Headaches don't experiment with alleged cures. Buy Krause's Headache Capsules, which will cure any headache in half an hour, no matter what causes it. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville, druggist, old postoffice corner.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A cable road at sea is but a wire-pulling affair.

Some men are too slow to make successful palibcarers.

Money certainly talks when it is put up as a guaranty.

No man can add to his greatness by trying to belittle others.

There is always room at the top of a ball costume for more costume. —Chicago News

Rheumatism

Does not let go of you when you apply lotions or liniments. It simply loosens its hold for a while. Why? Because to get rid of it you must correct the acid condition of the blood on which it depends. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured thousands.

NEW IDEA

Discovered in Drink Habit by Saloonist.

"It is interesting to study the contradiction involved in the drinking habit," said a saloon keeper to a certain reporter recently. "For twenty years I have closely observed my patrons and even to this day I can discover new ideas and thoughts in the drinking habit. The thing that has impressed me more than any other characteristic of the drinking man is that fact that whisky is held up as a universal antidote."

"For instance, on a cold day a man will rush in with his coat collar turned up, shiver once or twice and order whisky. 'It's a bitter cold day,' he will usually remark. If the weather is dry and hot and perspiration is rolling off his brow he will plant himself under a fan and order a julep. If it is a damp, dismal day, with low-hanging mists, that depress, a fellow will glide with sluggish movement up to the bar, lean heavily against it, pay the waiter a doubtful compliment and order whisky. 'This weather is enough to drive a man to drink,' he will say."

"Observe probably the same man on a bright, cheerful morning when the atmosphere is too light and thin to support a feather. With quickened pace, almost as fantastic and dreamy as a waltz, he will prance in, smiling gleefully, pounding the bar with a fist to indicate how well and glorious he feels and inform the bartender that the man who would not celebrate such a glorious day by taking a little dram should be forced to live in a dungeon all his life."

"And thus it goes. It is good for the chills, good for the toothache and headache, a refuge in a storm and a destroyer of oppressive calm. It will produce the blues and then cure them. It is guaranteed to get a man in debt and then make him forget it. In love it is a solace, curing heartaches as readily as it produces them. It builds tragedies and comedies in the same day, makes the old young and the young old and—"

"And lets a man down when he soars and makes him soar when he's down. Give us a drink," said one of the listeners.

EVER HAVE IT?

If You Have, the Statement of This Lima Woman Will Interest You.

Ever have a "low down" pain in the back?

In the "small" right over the hips? That's the home of backache. It's caused by sick kidneys.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Lima people endorse this. Read a case of it.

Mrs. S. A. Clapsaddle, of 980 West North street says: "I had a dull aching pain across my loins. I felt tired and worn out all the time and often was hardly able to keep around. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended I went to Melville's drug store and procured a box; the use of the remedy greatly benefited me. I can honestly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for they strengthened me generally."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

In her own house, a woman gets homesick, when somebody else who ought to be there is away.

The later a man comes home at night the surer he is that he didn't make any noise when he tumbled on the stairs.

The only thing that makes a wife madder than for her husband to want to know all about another man's photograph, which she has had for a long time, is for him not to care a rap about it.—New York Press.

No Fals Claims.

The proprietors of Foley's Honey and Tar do not advertise this as a "cure for consumption." They do not claim it will cure this dread complaint in advanced cases, but do positively assert that it will cure in the earlier stages and never fails to give comfort and relief in the worst cases. Foley's Honey and Tar is without doubt the greatest throat and lung remedy. Refuse substitutes. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

EXPERT

Tells What Makes Pretty Women.

Complete List Of Qualifications--Read Them Carefully

And If You Fill the Bill You Are Queen of the Carnival.

Features, Eyes, Nose, Mouth, Teeth, Chin, Throat, Foot, Waist, Pose, Walk and Voice as They Should Be.

What is essential to a pretty woman? Here is the answer as given by a modern beauty expert.

A pretty woman, first of all, must have clearly cut, regular features. She must have a skin above reproach untouched by rouge or powder.

She must have full, clear eyes. She must have eyelashes long and curling upward.

She must have eyebrows finely marked, slightly arched, long and narrow, yet the narrow line should be thickly covered, so as to be well marked, as if pencilled.

She must have a straight nose, yet delicate, neither fleshy, nor pointed, nor broad at the tip, with the nostrils free and flexible.

She must have a mouth rather too large than too small, with lips full and plump and rosy red. Even an exquisitely shaped mouth has no charm without expression.

She must have even, regular teeth, of moderate size, evenly white, with full enamel.

She must have a chin neither sharp nor blunt, but gently undulating in its line, round and cushiony turning a little upward with a dimple in it.

She must have a small delicate jaw not large and angular which gives a haughty domineering look.

She must have a throat round, full and pillar-like—a marble column to support the head.

She must have glossy hair that has never known the touch of bleach or dye.

She must fully understand what best suits her in the way of hair dressing and cling closely to that style.

She must have small delicate compact ears of a shell-like shape.

She must have a forehead smooth even, white, delicate, short and of an open, trustful character. Aristotle says "of terse ivory was the joyous brow."

She must have a long and delicate hand, yet plump, with tapering fingers, the tips of which when resting on the palm should turn back a little.

She must have a nail "transparent" like a ruby among plump fingers—not long, not round, nor altogether square, but of a fair shape, with a white crescent at the base.

She must have a foot not too small, but proportioned to the stature it supports, white, well arched with a curved outline and smooth surface.

She must have an arm with a round and flowing outline, not sharpness at the elbow and tapering down gently to a small wrist.

She must have sloping shoulders, not too broad.

She must have a waist twice the size of her throat, not as fashion has too often made it, nearly the same size.

She must have hips high and wide. She must have a good figure, plump enough, yet slender enough, though never suggestive of an angle.

She must know how to pose the body, in other words how to stand correctly.

She must know how to sit without being stiff-waisted.

She must possess the pose and repose that mark the "daughter of a hundred years."

She must have a gait which may be likened to that of a Diana following the hounds.

She must know how to climb stairs, also how to come down stairs gracefully without any attempt to push holes in the steps.

She must have a flexible, vibrant, carressing, tender, poetic, crystalline voice.

Two Bottles Cured Him. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure." Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

ATTENTION! MOTHERS!

A white man's clothes never seem to fit an Indian.

When twins arrive, we imagine that even the doctor laughs.

"I know I wouldn't be good to step-children."—Drake Watson.

When we see a girl all in white, we don't think of fairies, but of the washing.

When a mother lays down a rule, its effect is about as lasting as the curfew law.

It will ruin any man to be henpecked. We never knew such a man to amount to anything.

In the old days, the elderly women just went along, they were not known as chaperons.

The most characteristic things about people are ignorance and meanness.—Parson Twine.

It is every man's secret fear that he will become delicious some day, and his wife will be his nurse.

Watermelon is good for you. You have kidneys, and they are probably in worse shape than you know.

The trouble is that the soft down on a girl's face is liable to stiffen up with age, and become whiskers.

If anyone writes more than two letters home when on a vacation, it means he is not having a good time.

When a woman has twins, all the other mothers of twins want to call and offer sympathy, but haven't time.

It is a good idea to have a telephone in the house; it gives a man something else to get provoked about besides the baby.

Come, confess up men: if your children were to describe their father as "the man who scolds mother," would it hurt?

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at Wm. M. Melville's drug store. They are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills. Even their use is not followed by constipation as is often the case with pills. Regular size, 25c per box.

Reduced Fares to Rome City Via the Pennsylvania Lines.

July 9th to August 15th, inclusive, excursion tickets to Rome City, Ind. account camp meeting and Island Park Assembly, will be sold via the Pennsylvania Lines. Particulars regarding rates and time of trains furnished by ticket agents of Pennsylvania line.

Jangling Nerves.

Are you irritable? Do you sleep badly? Is it hard to concentrate your thoughts? Is your appetite poor? Do you feel tired, restless and despondent? Try Licit's Celery Nerve Compound. It will do you more good than anything you have ever tried. Sold by W. M. Melville, druggist, old postoffice corner.

Rules for Bathing.

Do not "sash" the bathing master. You may need him to pull you out of a pickle.

Cork soles should not be worn on the feet unless you wish it to be your last bath.

When you hear thunder, seek the bath house. It might rain and you would get wet if you stay in.

If drowning do not cry for help when your head is under water. Save your breath. There is another world. Rolling on a barrel is good for resuscitation. But the sad fact remains that the contents of a barrel are often helpful also in bringing to one who has swallowed too much water.

Never bathe after dark unless you have a good god to mind your clothes. Embarrassment of riches and lack of embarrassment of breaches are different things.—New York News.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Beck's Signature

Pointed Paragraphs.

Nearly every time a fool makes a kick, some wise man gets the benefit of it.

Some wives consider marriage a successful failure if the alimony is satisfactory.

If beauty is only skin deep, that may explain why so many pretty girls are shallow.

Where there's a will there's a way—but in the majority of cases, it is not the way you will.—Chicago News.

Forethought.

Wealthy Resident—Why don't you call for more firemen, chief?

Chief of Volunteer Firemen—Well, you see, we get only one keg of beer for putting out a fire, and the fewer there are of us the more beer we shall have to drink.—Flegender Blaetter.



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YOU NEED A REST.

If you are not feeling well, don't call a doctor but take a lake trip! You will return home feeling new life and your brain blown free from cobwebs. Send 2c for folder and map.

Address, A. A. SCHANTZ, G. P. T. Mav., July 10-11, Detroit, Mich.

A Very Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp. Price 80 cents.

KEEP COOL BY TAKING A LAKE TRIP.

Visit Picturesque Mackinac, the island of cool breezes, and the 30,000 islands, the Georgian Bay route. Travel via D. & C., the Coast Line to Northern Summer resorts. Send 2c. for illustrated pamphlet. Address, A. A. SCHANTZ, G. D. T. Mgr., July 10-11, Detroit, Mich.

Krause's Headache Capsules

were the first headache capsules put on the market. Their immediate success resulted in a host of imitations, containing antipyrine, chloral, morphine and other injurious drugs, purporting to be "just as good." Avoid these imitations and insist on your having Krause's, which speedily cure the most severe cases and leave no bad after effects. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

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Special Fares to California via Pennsylvania Lines.

Account National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic, will be in effect July 1st to August 15th, inclusive. For further information regarding the rates through time, etc., consult ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines.

TH-ANG-15.

No Hair?

The trouble is your hair does not have life enough. Save your hair. Feed it with Ayer's Hair Vigor. If the gray hairs are coming, Ayer's Hair Vigor will restore color every time.

J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE BOARDMAN & GRAY,

A Grand Piano in an upright case,

For Sixty six years has occupied the foremost ranks of

Piano Perfection.

The Boardman & Gray is never known to have a defective note, imperfect scale, or thin unsatisfactory tone.

THEY ALMOST WEAR FOREVER.

Sold by
The Whitney & Currier Co.,
Lima's
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For Health and Strength

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These excursions are very high-class carrying through sleeping cars. They are recommended for ladies and children, who can depend upon every care and protection while with the excursion party. By making your reservations early you enable us to give you the best accommodations. Small parties or clubs of fifteen or more can be outfitted in advance, be located in one car and have their rooms adjoining, securing almost complete privacy, if desired.

For tickets, sleeping car reservations and other particular information directed call on your nearest C. H. & D. agent, or address:

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VAUDEVILLE SEASON.
WEEK COMMENCING JULY 19th

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THE MARVELOUS SPALDING.

MAJOR SISTERS.

THE THREE WALKERS.

The Projectoscope.

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Wonderful Scenic Railway.
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The Laughing Gallery.

Dancing—The ARION TRIO

PONY TRACK.

Reserved seats one week in advance at Western Ohio Railway waiting room.

FIRE

Again at House on
Blaine Avenue.

Samuel Jones

The Victim of a Fire-
bug Once More.

Americans Lose to Decatur,
Arcades and Transfers
Is in Mix-up.

Baumgardner and Border Move
Their Store. Mrs. Ryan's
Brother Drops Dead at
Deshler.

This morning at 1:35 the south side fire department responded to another call from box 49 corner Blaine avenue and Third street. The same incendiary that caused the excitement on Saturday morning at precisely the same hour had evidently been at his dirty work again, for it was one of the dwelling houses owned by Sam Jones that was on fire. The more desirable of the two houses was in flames in the rear where the fire was before. The kitchen and back hall of the house were pretty well burned out bringing the total loss on the larger house up to about \$400. There seems to be something queer about the insurance, the owner denying at first that he had any, and then asserting that he carried \$1000.

On the Diamond.
Maxwell Brothers' Americans, had the worst of the argument in the game at Decatur yesterday. The score was 9 to 2. The batteries are unknown.

The Arcades and the Transfer Co. team had an interesting argument at Westminster yesterday morning. The game broke up in a row at the end of the eighth inning, the Transfer Co.'s team finally forfeiting the game 9 to 0.

The Pirates did not play yesterday because no grounds could be had. They are getting their suits this week, and will battle with the Arcades next Sunday.

Removal.
The cheap store of Baumgardner & Border removed this morning from the Crossley block at 717 south Main street to 450 south Main opposite the market house.

Dropped Dead.
This morning Miss Myrtle Ryan of east Market street, received a telegram announcing that her brother, Frank Stevenson, of Deshler, dropped dead at 8 o'clock, a m.

Picnic.
The Sunday school of the Main street Presbyterian church will have its annual picnic at the fair grounds on Friday of this week. All members of the school will be furnished free transportation. The cars will leave the church at 9:30.

Clerks 18—Car Repairers 10.
The clerks and car repairers of the L. E. & W. went for the "rubber" Saturday afternoon on the C & D grounds. The only "rubber" was on the spectators when they looked for Robinson's home run in the ninth inning, which was all that was needed to tie the game. The features of the game were the coaching on the sidelines, the battling of "sleuth" Hoffman, and the base-running of Rankin, who overran second and then declared that he "turned right." The game was a very exciting one, but it was

EVERYBODY knows the remarkable medicinal value of cod liver oil, but few people can take the ordinary, nauseating kind.

Until Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil (of Lima and Soda) was compounded, a really pleasant and palatable cod liver oil was unknown. The first taste of Hagee's Cordial will dispel all prejudice.

Especially valuable in hot weather—a time when its wonderful properties are so much needed to help nature replenish the extra consumption of vitality, caused by excessive heat. A fine tonic food for puny children. Contains no grease. Agrees with the weakest stomach.

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by Katherman Chemical Co. St. Louis, Mo.

Piles

In order to prove to you that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for any form of itching, bleeding, or protruding piles, the manufacturers guarantee a cure. You can use it and if not cured get your money back. Mr. Cooper Walton, laborer, Michigan City, Ind., says: "I work hard and lift a great deal. The strain brought on an attack of piles. They itched and they protruded and bled. Nothing helped them until I used Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment. That cured them." 50c. a box at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment.

an up-hill fight for the repairers, and they never came dangerously near winning stakes. The score by innings:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E
Clerks 2 6 0 1 2 0 0 3 4 18 20 14
Repairers 1 1 0 2 1 2 3 0 0 19 13 10
Batteries—Clerks, Nye and Trask;
Repairers, Hoffman, Franz and Rutledge.

Nobody was seriously hurt, but so many bases were stolen that officer Grant, who had been detailed to special duty, lost all track of them. However, several flies were caught in out field.

South Lima Baptist Church.
At the south Lima Baptist church, the pastor, Rev. Gilbert W. Schmitz, preached yesterday morning to a very good crowd. The topic, which was logically handled, was, as announced, "Faithfulness to Trust." The text was taken from the ninth chapter of I Chronicles.

In the evening Rev. Schmitz held a brief service on "Songs and Their Sentiment." At nine-thirty he left over the Pennsylvania for Ada, where he went this morning to Mt. Vernon in company with a number from his former pastorate in the college town.

Gossip.
Jack Johnson has returned from Cleveland, after a visit of two weeks with friends and relatives there. Jack resigned his position as night clerk at Maxwell Brothers' before he left, and he has not yet decided where he will locate.

Byron Van Horn is still unable to work on account of his crushed foot, which has been injured twice within the last few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brandon, of Cleveland, called on south side friends and relatives Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Reiff and daughter, Adile, of St. Johns avenue, visited over Sunday with Mrs. Reiff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lincoln, of Celina. Miss Adele remained in Celina for a few days stay.

Miss Martha Hardin, of McPherson avenue, left early this morning to attend the Hiawatha Park assembly at Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

James Griffith of 909 St. Johns avenue, is entertaining his mother of Heppner Oregon. After remaining here about a week, she will go to Findlay for a short stay.

Carson McKennon and Miss Ola Johnson spent yesterday visiting friends at Ada.

Ed Rauschart has severed his connection with Maxwell Brothers' Americans and will play hereafter with the Arcades. In the game at Westminster Friday, he sprained a wrist sliding into second base.

Vernon Van Swearingen of Chicago, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Swearingen, of 712 south Main street, has returned to his business after a stay of two weeks.

Tom Gach, of J. S. Smith's dry goods store was able to be on duty again this morning.

F. B. Ricketts spent Sunday in Alger.

Jacob Haley and wife, of east Kibby street have returned home from Huron, where they went Friday to attend the obsequies of his nephew, John Holzhauser.

Jake Lacy and wife spent Sunday with her sister in Sandusky.

This morning Mr. and Mrs. Will Gallan, of McPherson avenue, left over the P. Ft. W. & C. for Mt. Vernon to attend the Hiawatha park assembly.

Mrs. Thomas Miller, of Madison avenue, is in Detroit, visiting friends and relatives.

Thorpe Lincoln, Charles Griffith, John Gray and James Rambo saw the game at Wapakoneta, yesterday.

Yesterday, at the south Lima Baptist church, about twenty-five dollars was pledged towards paying for the improvements that are being made there.

Leroy Wheeler, is engaged in papering the new south side postoffice room.

Mr. Kellogg, a student at Princeton University, and an intended missionary to India, conducted the services at the Main street Presbyterian church yesterday. In the morning, he spoke on general missionary topics and in the evening on "The Effect of Hindooism on Missionary Work."

Messrs Calvin and Baker, have moved their bakery into the new room in the Loretta block.

Miss Clara Ague, of Chicago, is the guest of the Burgett family, east Vine street.

Miss Ida Hall, of west Kibby street,

was taken to the city hospital this morning, to be operated on for appendicitis.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Miss Lela May Hullinger and Mr. Homer Inskeep, were married, Saturday night, July 18th, at the home of Rev. George Lord, pastor of the First Baptist church. Both are well known and popular young people, of Lima.

Mademoiselle New York.

According to Paul West, song writer, the following is the recipe for the up-to-the-minute New York girl. She has christened her "Mademoiselle New York," and the chorus runs as follows:

A swagger that's awfully English,
A chic that is quite Paree.
A touch of the Danish, a trace of the Spanish,
A little of Germany.

A flash in the eye that's Italian.
A blush from Killarney or Cork.
And a style of a pattern that is only Manhattan.

She is Mademoiselle New York.

"GOOD GROWING WEATHER."

When the New Scalp Antiseptic is Used.

A good head of hair is as much a crown of glory, for man as it is for woman, notwithstanding all the poetry on the subject applied to the female sex exclusively. In the season when flies bite, the bald-headed man can sympathize with the Egyptians, who were so sorely plagued on account of the children of Israel. Why not try Newbro's Herpicide? Others have been benefited and are loud in its praise. It cleanses the scalp, kills the germ at the root of the hair and by keeping the scalp sweet, pure and wholesome, the hair is bound to grow as nature intended, regardless of the temperature. Try it and be convinced. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample, to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

LEFT FOR IRELAND.

London, July 20—King Edward and Queen Alexandra, accompanied by Princess Victoria, and their suites left London at 1 p m today for Ireland.

SPAIN'S NEW CABINET.

Madrid, July 20—The new cabinet has been definitely constituted as follows:

Premier, the Marquis Villaverde; Foreign Minister, Count Sambernardo; Minister of Justice Senor Santos Guzman; Minister of Finance, Senor Besada; Minister of War Gen Martinegui; Minister of Navy, Senor Estram; Minister of the Interior Senor Garcia Aliz; Minister of Public Instruction Senor Bugallal; Minister of Agriculture, Senor Cassot.

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Helped Him Out.

"Your honor," said the prisoner at the bar, "I know the law. I am with in my rights, sir and I refuse to condemn myself."

"Very well, sir," said the magistrate. "I'll save you the trouble. Thirty days"—Baltimore News

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C. H. & D. EXCURSIONS.

Cincinnati and return, on Sunday, July 26th. Special train leaves Lima at 5 a. m. rate \$1.50. The W. O. W.'s have their great log rolling on this date.

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EVERY YEAR THEY STRIKE.

Twenty-five Hundred Pants Makers Holding Their Annual in New York.

New York, July 20.—More than 2,500 knee pants makers on the east side have inaugurated their annual strike. They demand a renewal of last year's agreement with the contractors. It is also expected that within the next few weeks between 20,000 and 30,000 workers, including makers of cloaks, will lay down their work for similar concessions.

CIVIL SERVICE DATES FOR BUCKEYE STATE.

Washington, July 20.—The following fall schedules of civil service examinations to be held in Ohio was announced today: Cleveland, September 17, 18, October 21; Cincinnati, September 16, 17, October 21; Columbus, October 21, 22, 23; Ironton, Oct. 7, 21; Toledo, September 19, Oct. 21; Zanesville, October 21.

Valuable Time Saved.

Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time and when blood poison develops, sometimes result in the loss of hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises, and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without maturation, and prevents any danger of blood poison. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

AUTOMOBILE WAS STRUCK

By Broadway Car and Knocked Thirty Feet. Gould's Escaped Injury.

New York, July 20.—Frank J. Gould, with his wife and another couple, have had a narrow escape from injury in a collision between their forty horse-power automobile and a Broadway car in Bowling Green. They were returning home from a day's tour in New Jersey and landed at Whitehall ferry. The party had just left the ferry house when a car struck the machine and knocked it 30 feet. It careened about on the rough pavement, but fortunately did not overturn and the occupants escaped unhurt. They had, however, to complete their journey up town by car.

JOHN BOHEE, HAIRLESS MAN,

Wonder of Physicians for Years, and Widely Known, Is Dead.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 20.—John Bohée, who was widely known as the "hairless man," is dead in this city. He was the marvel of physicians, who puzzled in vain to account for the entire absence of hair from his body.

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What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Men of Ease

Are men who know that their garments are perfectly fitted to their forms, and that the material entering into their manufacture is of honest weave, that the style is that of today, not a year ago. Men at ease have us make their suits for them.

Highest award at Pan-American Exposition.

Warm Weather Suits

\$12.50 up.

Trousers \$4.00 up

Your credit is good here.

J. M. SPICER,
Holmes Block, 3rd Floor. 1124 New Phone.

Gut Out This Ad.

As It is Valuable.

Because it entitles you to 10 per cent discount on all dental work done by

Dr. A. V. WATKINS, Dentist.

Jun 30-1st S. W. Cor. Main and Spring St.

ANNUAL NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION.

The Chicago and Erie R. R. will run the annual Niagara Falls excursion on August 4. Special train leaves Lima 7:40 p m, arriving Niagara Falls 6:30 next morning. Fare \$5.00 for the round trip to the Falls. \$6.00 to Toronto; \$11.50 to Thousand Islands and return. For information and sleeping car accommodations, call phone 60. W. S. MORRISON, Agent July 17-d&w to aug 4.

Wonderful Nerve

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sore feet or stiff joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best salve on earth for Piles, too. 25c, at H. F. Vorkamp's, the druggist.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Lima Electric Railway and Light Co., that the annual meeting of stockholders for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Lima, Ohio, on Monday, July 20th, 1903, at ten o'clock a. m.

THE LIMA ELECTRIC RAILWAY AND LIGHT COMPANY.

JOSEPH B. MAYER, President.

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When Other Medicines Have Failed, take Foley's Kidney Cure. R. has cured when everything else has disappointed. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Important Paper Missing.

"Gosh dern, Mary," said the bride's father, "I guess you'd better git married ag'in."

"Law! What is the matter, paw?"

"Why, the paper says the ceremony went through without a hitch."—Indianapolis Sun.

Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for 20 years and never got relief until I used Foley's Money and Tar, which is a sure cure." Sold by H. F. Vorkamp.

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every evening, except Sunday, and will
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mailed to any address at the rate of \$1
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Weekly is a seven column, eight page
paper, the largest and best newspaper
in Allen county.Persons desiring The Times-Democrat de-
livered to their homes may secure the
same by postal card address, or by order
through telephone No. 84.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, July 20.—Ohio, fair to-
night, cooler in northeast portion;
Tuesday, fair, warmer in north por-
tion.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES.
THOMAS M. BERRY.

For Common Pleas Judges,
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG.
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,
EUGENE J. BARR,
of Lima.

For Treasurer,
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima.

For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

DELPHOS

Bank Has a Check of
Good ValueBut the Court Must Decide
Who Will Pay It.Something Behind the Case Which
Will Be Brought to Light If
the Issues Are Ever
Brought to Trial.

A case in which there is something
yet untold was filed this morning,
the title of which is the National
Bank of Delphos, vs. I. D. Crider, and
styled an action for money. Accord-
ing to the petition, which was pre-
pared by John F. Lindemann, the de-
fendant issued a check to J. W. Re-
kart for the sum of \$225, on the 14th
of June, on the Ohio National bank,
of Lima. The day following, Rekart
endorsed the check, and cashed it at
the National Bank of Delphos.

In the course of exchange, the
check was sent to the Lima bank, but
payment was refused, and the suit is
now brought for the purpose of col-
lecting the amount from Mr. Crider,
the maker of the note, who has re-
fused payment.

Marriage Licenses.

Homer Inskeep 22, of Logan coun-
ty, and Lula May Hullinger, 18, of
Lima.

Real Estate Transfers.

Henry Luersmann to Toledo, St.
Louis and Western Railway Co., por-
tion of land in Marion township, \$40
Samuel B. Collins to Milton W. Win-
termute, half interest lot in Spencer-
ville, on Mulberry street, \$400.

Court House Briefs.

The county commissioners went to
Amanda township Saturday and
viewed the Sunderland ditch which
they approved, and the engineer's re-
port will be heard August 7.

Tobe Elliot faced mayor Robb on a
charge of drunk and disorderly, and
drew a sentence of ten days in jail,
where he was landed this morning.

Sheriff Barr left today for Gallipolis
for the purpose of escorting Henry R.
Calkins to the epileptic asylum.

One of nature's remedies, cannot
harm the weakest constitution, never
fails to cure summer complaints of
young and old. Dr. Fowler's Extract
Wild Strawberry.

DENIES
THAT PLANFor Opening Manchurian Ports Was
Settled on With Hay.Cassini Says This Government Knew That
Kisheneff Petition Would Not Be Received.
Would Not Itself Allow Such
Outside Interference.

Paris, July 20.—A representative of
the Associated Press has had an inter-
view with Count Cassini, the Russian
ambassador to the United States, who
is here with his daughter, spending
part of his leave of absence in Paris,
where he has an apartment near the
Champs Elysee. He said:

"It is not correct, as cabled, that I
arranged, with Secretary Hay, before
my departure, the question of open
ports in Manchuria.

It is true that Mr. Hay called on me
June 28; but it was a friendly visit
and entirely unofficial. The Manchur-
ian ports were mentioned during our
conversation, but no definite arrange-
ment was completed. The conversa-
tion was quite cordial, courteous and
friendly, but it did not go beyond
that. I expect, however, that a mutu-
ally satisfactory understanding regard-
ing Manchurian questions will
eventually be reached between the
two governments. But I
repeat, no such arrangement has
been made by me. What has been
done by the charge d'affaires, since my

SAGAMORE
RECEIVEDWhitlaw Reid and Mrs. Reid. Their
Visit Was Purely Social.

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 20.—White-
law Reid and Mrs. Reid, of New York,
are the guests today, of the President
and Mrs. Roosevelt. They arrived at
Sagamore Hill from their summer

DOESN'T
Make Much Difference
Which OneJust So the City of Lima Is
to Be Benefited.It May Be "Only a Rumor" But
It Sounds Good and If An-
other Railroad Wants an
Avenue It Is Open.

The Toledo Blade has the following.
"A right of way, which has been
procured for a steam line, extending
from Lima and Waynesfield toward
Columbus, is taken to indicate that
the Ohio Central will build to Lima.
Railway men say that it is either the
B. & O. or Ohio Central.

"By building the line the B. & O.
could shorten its route between Col-
umbus and Chicago, besides giving
the road an entrance into some im-
portant oil territory.

"If this is an Ohio Central survey,
it means an extension of the Colum-
bus and Northwestern division of the
road. This would give the Ohio Cen-
tral a line from Lima to Columbus,
which is only second in importance to
a line from Toledo to Columbus."

Local railroad officials who would
talk, say that the Ohio Central is ab-
solutely running no new lines at all.
Those whose memory goes back four
or five years know, however, that the
original projectors of this branch,
Haskell and C. H. Roser, said that
they expected to sell it to the Ohio
Central. This was before the present
union of the properties took place.

Along All Lines.

The Cedar Point excursion over the
Lake Erie & Western yesterday, was
the largest of the season, nearly 400
from Lima spending the day at the
pleasure resort.

The C. H. & D. wreck train was cal-

departure, fourteen days ago, I do
not know.

"Regarding the Israelite peti-
tion, the United States government al-
ready knew that such petition would
not be received. No such petition
would be received by any independent
state. The United States, first of all,
would not consent to any foreign inter-
ference in its domestic affairs. Be-
yond this, I do not know anything
about the matter. My relations with
the United States government have
always been pleasant and cordial dur-
ing my long stay at Washington. My
present absence from my post is due
to the fact that I am taking a much
needed holiday. I did not see the
President before my departure, as he
was absent from Washington. I saw
Mr. Hay, as stated, but our interview
was not official; but it was extremely
pleasant.

"I expect to return to my post as
soon as my leave expires which will
be in three months."

Count Cassini will remain here ten
days longer and will then go to St.
Petersburg.

ed out at 6 o'clock this morning, and
made a run to Piqua, where a car
had gotten off the track and buried
a pair of trucks in the mud. There
was no delay of trains to speak of.

The Lake Erie and Western had a
job on hand, yesterday, in taking care
of the crowds which poured into San-
dusky, from all points on the line.
The train which left here carried
eight coaches all loaded down, and
the baggage car was also utilized in
order to get the people home, several
coaches were taken to Sandusky from
Cleveland.

Milt and James Browder, both for-
mer yard section foremen for the L.
E. & W. in this city, were in Lima
Saturday night, en route to Colina to
spend Sunday with their parents.

Milt is now section foreman for the
Erie railroad in the Chicago yards and
his brother holds a similar position
in the service of the Chicago,
Milwaukee & St. Paul road.

W. C. T. U.

Regular meeting Tuesday 2 p. m.,
July 21, 1903, of the Woman's Chris-
tian Temperance Union, at the Y. M. C.
A. parlors. Our county president,
Mrs. Mary Mehahey, will be with us,
and especially wishes to see all the
county officials present, together with
our local union officers, on business of
importance.

ROSA TOY, Cor. Secy.

BEAVER DAM

Will Be in Full Dress for
Odd Fellows.

At six o'clock this evening, the
three Lima Odd Fellow lodges, will
send representatives to the district
meeting at Beaver Dam, where they
will be joined by a number of other
orders from the surrounding towns.
It is expected that at least 50 will
go from here.

POPE LEO

(Continued from page 1.)

bers of the diplomatic corps were ad-
mitted to the sick room, as, according
to tradition, Popes must die surround-
ed by the sacred college, the Pontifi-
cal court and the diplomats accredited
to the Vatican.

Just at that moment a large party of
American tourists, unaware of the
critical situation of the Pontiff, as-
cended the grand staircase, talking
and laughing. They were approached
by a gendarme who said:

"Please do not make any noise as
the Holy Father is dying."

This produced great emotion among
the tourists and they immediately re-
tired.

The government has decided that
when the Pope's death is imminent or
has actually occurred, it will hold up
all dispatches until the facts are offi-
cially verified, when the first official
announcement will be made.

Although this morning's bulletin
may have given the impression that
the pope's condition is somewhat
ameliorated, in reality, the doctors do
not think so. They consider that the
lowering of the pulse and the diminu-
tion of the respiration are due to great
prostration of the whole organism,
which is augmenting, notwithstanding
the fact that the patient, at times,
takes a little nourishment. The Pope
continues, now and then, to mutter
phrases, although unconscious. His
mind evidently returns to the events
which impressed him most before his
illness began. At one moment he is
feeling about with his hands and mov-
ing his head from side to side, trying
to lift himself, while he murmurs:

"What crowds.
"What devotion.
"My dear people."

Then, falling back inertly, he sighs
and says:

"Oh, the weight of these robes.
"Can I hold out until the end?"

This is followed by scraps of latin
verses and prayers and then comes an
interval of silence, which is broken by
another accession of energy, in which
the Pope cries:

"The consistory is over. They can
reproach me no longer.
"How many faces of all kinds
"How many foreigners

"The church is triumphing," and so
on over and over again.

The words the Pope addressed to
Cardinal Oreglia, and which may, per-
haps prove to be his last utterance,
the last supreme effort of that intel-
ligence which has astonished the
world, are much commented upon and
it is wondered whether the intention
of Leo XIII was to indicate Cardinal
Oreglia as his successor. They will
certainly have considerable weight in
the decision of the cardinals who will
take part in the conclave.

A wonderful thing about Pope Leo
is that every time his mind becomes
clear, he seems to grasp the fact that
it may be the last and he makes the
highest use of it. When, during the
alarming crisis, about noon, he was
lying on his bed, perfectly motionless,
while around him knelt the Cardinals
and other members of the papal court,
praying and not knowing whether the
Pope was not already dead, without
any preliminary restlessness the Pon-
tiff opened his eyes which fell on Car-
dinal Oreglia, who was at his side,
and he said, solemnly:

"To Your Eminence, who will so
soon seize the reins of supreme
power, I confide the church in these
difficult times."

Then Mgr. Bisleti, the master of
the chamber, asked for the Pope's
benediction for the court, which the
Pontiff granted, adding:

"Be this my last greeting."

Then the Pontiff gave his hand to
kiss to the Cardinals present, who
were Oreglia, Rampolla, Serafino,
Vanutelli, Della Volpe and Vives.

Dr. Laponi profited by the Pope's
animation to administer restoratives,
whereupon the patient sank back as
suddenly as he had revived.

NOTICE

We have moved to our new location,
second floor of the new Times building
near the postoffice.

We take entire charge of estates,
collect and promptly remit rentals,
buy and sell farms and city property,
negotiate loans, and carry on a general
agency and promoting business.

Our specialty is buying and selling
real estate on the modern co-operative
plan. We now have \$12,000 capital
employed and agents in sixteen other
towns to assist us.

We'll be pleased to see you in our
elegant new home, and will treat you
well in any business left in our charge.

THE UNION AGENCY CO.,
James E. Wickham, Secretary.
July 1st, 1903.-ed 11

NOTICE

The Woman's Relief Corps will
meet Tuesday evening, July 21st. Our
yearly picnic and other business. Im-
portant to every member to be con-
sidered. By order of
35-2t
PRESIDENT.

THE HOLER.

Rapid work is being done in ex-
cavating for the Thompson block, on
north Main street, and by the end of
the week, with the number of men
and teams now in use, the basement
depth will almost be reached. At the
present rate, the building will be
ready for its occupants before the
snow flies.

Ground is being turned today for
the new three story block which Dr.
Blattenberg will build on Elizabeth
street adjoining the one owned by Dr.
Mummaugh, which is now nearing com-
pletion.

Mr. Frank Stump, a former resi-
dent of Delphos, who for several years
has been engaged in business in this
city, has purchased the Sherman
House, at the corner of High and
Union streets. Mr. Stump has, both
in Delphos and in this city, proved
himself an excellent caterer, and his
success in his new venture is assured.

An attraction looked for appearance
in this city during the coming theatri-
cal season is "The Wizard of Oz," the
remarkable extravaganza which has
broken all records in Chicago and
New York during the past year and is
still playing at the Majestic theatre in
New York to the utmost capacity of
at home.

Mr. A. A. Shepler, of Columbus,
who has considerable prominence in
democratic politics of Ohio, was in
the city today.

When the delegation from Columbus
Lodge of Elks, left in its special car
Sunday night, en route to Baltimore,
to the meeting of the Grand Lodge, it
was accompanied by Dr. J. W. Detrick,
of Carthage, Mo., the oldest Elk in
the United States, who arrived in Col-
umbus, Friday, to be the guest of
the Columbus brothers until that time
Detrick is 82 years of age, and 30
years of his life were spent in Ohio,
when he was in the drug business in
Dayton. He was instrumental in get-
ting the National Soldiers' Home for
that city.

Joseph Ayers, the oldest resident of
Shelby county, and the oldest minis-
ter in Ohio, is dead at the home of
his daughter in Sidney. Mr. Ayers
who had many friends here was prom-
inent in building up Methodism in
Ohio, and especially influential in se-
curing aid for the church's educa-
tional interests.

Messrs S. P. Douglas and I. E.
Yarnell, of Toledo, were in this city
today in the interest of the new inter-
urban railway, the Sandusky South-
western Electric Railway Company.
A Lima office will be opened tomorrow
and operations directed from this end.
The Lima line is to run from this city
to Bellefontaine.

A dozen of Allen county's oil field
workers left today for Neodesha, Kan-
sas, where they have contracted to
work for companies which have put
large sums into the business and de-
veloped paying territory.

A meeting will be held at the Y.
M. C. A. tomorrow evening, for the
purpose of making final arrangements
for the big children's picnic, at Mc-
Beth's park. All those who have a
part in the affair as members of the
committee, are urged to be present.

TON-KA-WAY

Seems to Be a Great Medicine.

Dr. W. I. Swain's Ton-ka-Way reme-
dies are becoming very popular in
Lima, as well as the Concert Co., that
is giving splendid concerts each night.

Mrs. J. B. Brennenman, living at 417
Hindle street, is highly pleased if not
delighted with the Ton-ka-Way reme-
dies, as her little girl, Grace, age ten
years, has been suffering with some
kind of nervous spells, for over eight
years, the child has been treated by
the best medical skill, that money
would hire, and it seemed that the
child continued to get worse each
year.

Mrs. Brennenman had a talk with Dr.
Swain, and he suggested that she
give her child a worm treatment, as
all Doctors had agreed that the child's
trouble was in the stomach acting
upon Dr. Swain's suggestion, Mrs.
Brennenman gave Grace a Ton-ka-Way
worm treatment, and in less than two
hours time, the child passed a tape
worm, over forty feet in length. It
seems as everybody was mistaken
about the real cause of the disease.
Dr. Swain and his way of doing busi-
ness, is becoming very popular, as the
immense crowds indicates each night.

WATER WORKS NOTICE.

PAY YOUR WATER RENT ON OR
BEFORE AUGUST 1ST, AND SAVE
THE 10 PER CENT PENALTY.
J. N. HUTCHISON, SECY.
-20-o-o-4-till-July 25

BLOODY
BUTCHERYGrows Out of the Contest Between
Gomez and Revolutionary ForcesIn Which Latter Suffer Signal Defeat---Over
Two Hundred Dead in Street, Not Count-
ing Wounded---Death Struggle
Began at 5 O'clock.

Soledad, Venezuela, Sunday, 3 p. m.,
July 19.—At five o'clock this morning
the engagement between the govern-
ment forces and the revolutionists oc-
cupying Ciudad Bolivar began, in two
different directions. The revolution-
ists opened the battle. At six o'clock
the smoke over Ciudad Bolivar was so
thick that it was impossible to see the
city. At seven o'clock the govern-
ment troops, after terrible fight, in
which they lost more than 100 men,
captured the cemetery. At eight
o'clock the Venezuelan fleet, consist-
ing of five men of war, shelled the
government building at Ciudad Bol-
ivar.

At ten o'clock the revolutionists
flag had disappeared from the govern-
ment building and at eleven all the
streets near that building were cap-
tured by the government forces and a
charge of all the government soldiers
on the city was ordered.

The wounded were then beginning
to arrive at the government headquar-
ters from all directions and the fight

was general, but the movements
could not be followed from here in con-
sequence of the smoke caused by fire
of the artillery of the revolutionists
which seemed formidable. It was
answered vigorously by the govern-
ment guns, and only a few shots reach-
ed the fleet.

At two in the afternoon, a block of
houses opposite the government build-
ing, was captured by storm.

The revolutionists seemed to be re-
sisting desperately.

The Associated Press correspondent
will follow the advance with General
Rivas. The latter is waiting for a
signal from Gen. Gomez, the Ven-
ezuelan commander-in-chief, who con-
ducted the attack from Miraflores, to
enter Ciudad Bolivar with all his re-
serves and fourteen guns.

The spectacle in the streets of
Ciudad Bolivar, when the smoke
cleared away, was heart-rending.

There were over 200 dead revolu-
tionists in the streets, not counting the
wounded.

MAIN ISSUE
TO BE HEARDIn the New High School Building Case
Before Judge Mathers of Sidney.

A new situation has developed in
the high school proposition, and Judge
Mathers, of Sidney, is now the one
who has been called upon to take a
hand in the preliminaries. Saturday
afternoon, the attorney's who have
represented the faction opposed to the
west High street grounds, repaired to
Sidney, and argued a motion for a
temporary restraining order against
the Lima Trust Co., based on the al-
legations contained in a supplemental
petition.

The issue was forced by a motion at
the last meeting of the board of edu-
cation, when the check of Seasongood
and Mayer was ordered returned, be-
cause of their hesitancy in accepting
the high school bonds. It was then
publicly stated that the Lima Trust

Co. would take the bonds, at the
figure named and the argument be-
fore Judge Mathers, on Saturday, was
for the purpose of preventing such a
contingency. The order of the court
was to the effect desired by the peti-
tioners, and the case now comes down
to the main issue, the decision in
which will settle the entire contro-
versy.

It has been decided by the attor-
ney's concerned to have the case tried
on its merits, the coming Thursday,
and Judge Mathers will be here on
that day to take up the case. If his
decision dissolves the restraining or-
der, the bonds can be sold, but if he
makes the order a permanent one,
there is likely to be extended litigation
which will take the proposition
again to the higher courts.

How Are
Your Beds?

Are they comfortable? You
ought to take advantage of our sale,
if they are not. We are offering mat-
tresses and springs at extra special
prices—for instance a good cotton
top mattress for \$2.25; one with cot-
ton top and bottom for \$2.75; a good
all cotton felt mattress for \$6; an all
hair mattress \$12.50, our celebrated
HARMAN SPECIAL SPRING FOR
\$3.00 as good as any \$5.00 spring. We
have too many styles to try to tell
you all about them, come in and see
them.

F. E. HARMAN'S
"The Big Store."

OIL AND GAS.

OIL MARKET.

Tiona oil	.....	\$1.68
Pennsylvania oil	.....	1.53
Somerset oil	.....	.97
Corning oil	.....	1.33
New Castle oil	.....	1.40
North Lima oil	.....	1.16
South Lima oil	.....	1.11
Indiana oil	.....	1.11
Lacey, Tenn.	.....	.97
Somerset, Ky.	.....	1.23
Borbourville, Ky.	.....	.97
Borbourville, Ky., heavy	.....	.57
Ragland, Ky.	.....	.62
Neodesha, Kan	.....	1.14

The Tussing oil well No. 2, has not
disappointed its owner in the least
and is even better than was at first
anticipated. The well was pumped

A Question.

We have been frequently asked
why tickets are only 25c for such a
program as that to be given at violin
concert at Congregational church next
Wednesday evening and we desire to
say in reply that it is Miss Watson's
idea that the price of admission should
be put at such a figure that it would
be possible for every music student
in the city to attend the concert. 9-2t

F. E. Harman has just returned
from Grand Rapids and informs us
that he never had so successful a
business trip, the exhibit of fine furni-
ture this season excels any that he
has ever seen, and although prices
are somewhat higher, it is not enough
to place the goods beyond the reach
of the people. Watch for the new
things as they come in, you will agree
that his store is always up to date.

CARROLL & COONEY. CARROLL & COONEY.



Waist Sale.

All of our stock of Summer Waists has been marked down in price. The unseasonable weather has left us an unusually large stock for this time of the year, and our only recourse is to cut prices, as the goods must be moved, with or without profit.

Silk Sale.

75c Foulards for 49c.

Tomorrow morning we start another special sale of Silks. We made an offer to a large wholesale house for the balance of their stock

of Silk Foulards, at a price that will enable us to put them on sale at 49c a yard. The goods came this morning, and are the same quality as we sold early in the season at 75c, and as good as some we have seen that sold for a dollar. Black and two shades of blue are the only colors we have.

Quilt Sale.

\$1.25 Quilts for 94c.

Today we started a special sale of Quilts. They are Barnsley Crochet Quilts, extra large size, all pearl hemmed and very pretty Marseilles patterns. Never sold at less than \$1.25 heretofore—tomorrow's price 94c.

Wrapper Sale.

\$1.25 Wrappers for 79c.

Any lady who has worn a Mendel Wrapper will always ask for that make again. They are well made of the best wearing material obtainable. The \$1.25 grade is being sold here this week at 79c.

Silk Waistings.

75c Waistings for 39c.

A fortunate purchase of a lot of silk striped Waistings in short lengths, (mid ends) enables us to offer 75c values for 39c a yard. See display in our south show window.

Sun Burst Skirts.



French accordion plaited or sun burst skirts in red, white, navy and black, for ladies and misses. Prices range from \$5 to \$16.50.

CARROLL & COONEY.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

ANTED—Dishwasher and other female help. Apply at office of Hotel Cambridge. 39-3t

ANTED—A girl for general house work, steady employment to the right party. Call at once at Van Guntens' music store. 39-4t

ANTED—Girl with musical ability to assist in kindergarten work, in coming winter. Apply at once to Mrs. Blanche Wheeler, 831 west Spring street. 1t

ANTED—Competent cook at 1023 west Market street. 97-1t

ANTED—Persons to call on retail trade and agents for manufacturing house; local territory; salary \$19.70 paid weekly; expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; business successful. Enclose self addressed envelope. Standard House, Chicago. July 11-13-19-20

FOR SALE.

R SALE—One of the largest and best paying livery stables in the city. Thoroughly equipped and doing a large business. A great money maker for the right parties. Bargain if sold at once. John L. Boose, 201 Black block. 29-3t

R SALE—Stanhope phonograph in per-

fect condition; only been used a short time. Bargain if sold quick. John M. Boose, 201 Black block. 1t

FOR SALE—A snap for any one with a small amount of cash, the Western Ohio cigar store. Good reasons for selling. 39-3t

FOR SALE—A splendid property for \$2250 at 839 west Wayne street. If sold in ten days. Call at the residence. A bargain. 38-3t

FOR RENT.

OR RENT—Two furnished rooms in most pleasant part of city; privilege of bath. Apply P. O. Box 591, Lima, Ohio. 222-4t

MISCELLANEOUS.

MME. ZELDA, palmist, card reader tells if the one you love is true or false, and how to win. Honest advice in business. Hours 9 to 9. 25 and 50 cents. Last week, 127 west Wayne street, near Main. 39-3t

Irving's Buchu Wafers are a true remedy for all kidney disease, from its most simple form—pain in the back to its worst and very dangerous condition—Bright's disease. We mean it when we say they will cure you, and we would not say it if we had not confidence in them, which is the direct result of our knowledge of their cures in cases that seemed almost hopeless. Sold at 50 cents a box by Wm. M. Melville, old post-office corner.

LIMA IN THE LEAD

In the Light Harness Racing Game in the Buckeye State.

An Eminent Writer Sees a Bright Future for the Sport Since the Lima Driving Park Co. Was Organized—List of Purses for the Lima Race Meet.

The widely posted sporting writer, John McCartney, in yesterday's Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune had a general resume of the status of light harness racing in Ohio, and particularly did he write about the future for that magnificent sport in Lima, which is now in the hands of the very best men in this city.

"The interest in the light harness game is growing in Ohio, and from all sections of the state come reports that the managers of the small associations are preparing to give the greatest series of meetings over the half-mile tracks this year that have ever been held in the state. It is these small meetings which really keep up the interest in the trotter, create a demand for horses and stimulate the breeders of the state.

"Up at Lima, that bustling and wide-awake little city, an association has been formed composed of some of the most enterprising men in the town and country. This association has gained control of the old half-mile track and has recently spent \$25,000 in the improvement of the track and grounds. A new and modern steel grand stand has been built and the track has been resodded, widened and made one of the safest and fastest half-mile plugs in the state. The grounds, naturally beautiful, have been turned into a beautiful park which is a delight to the eye. The new stand seats 2,000 and seats them comfortably, and every portion of the track can be seen from any part of the stand. The club has arranged to give a big opening meeting, beginning September 7 and continuing five days. This is the week following the state fair, and the purses offered will be so liberal that many of the best horses campaigning will be attracted.

"The club is making an effort to secure several special attractions, and has about completed arrangements to secure Dan Patch (1:50 3/4) for an exhibition during the week.

The Lima meeting promises to be second only to one of the big grand circuit meets."

Dr. Blattenburg, the well known veterinary and a stockholder in the Lima Driving Park Co., on Saturday, sold to eastern parties a promising, unbroken two year old gelding; sire Norval, dam Pilot Medium. The price paid for the colt was \$300.

The following is the list of events, and purses offered. Great care and excellent judgment has been used by the gentlemen in charge in its preparation:

Monday, September 7th.
2:40 class, trotting Purse \$400.00
2:30 class, pacing Purse \$400.00
Free for all, trotting Purse \$500.00
Grand special, Dan Patch to beat the World's record for half mile track.

Tuesday, September 8th.
2:20 class, pacing Purse \$400.00
2:25 class, trotting Purse \$400.00
2:15 class, pacing Purse \$400.00

Wednesday, September 9th.
2:20 class, trotting Purse \$400.00
2:25 class, pacing Purse \$400.00
Free for all, pacing Purse \$500.00

Thursday, September 10th.
2:30 class, trotting, 1 1/2 miles, heats 2 in 3 Purse \$400.00
2:40 class, pacing Purse \$400.00
2:16 class, trotting Purse \$400.00

Steel Ranges.

Are you thinking of buying a range? If you are, you are standing in your own light if you don't see what we are offering. A GOOD RANGE WITH ELEGANT ROLL TOP CLOSET FOR \$25.00. We have some odd patterns, one of a kind we want of close out and they go at less than cost.

F. E. HARMAN'S
"The Big Store."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brandon, of Cleveland, who have been visiting friends in this city and vicinity for two or three weeks, returned home last night.

Miss Irene Michael left for Cleveland and Youngstown to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pierce returned this morning to their home in Providence, R. I., after a lengthy visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Church of south Pine street.

Miss Ella Sherman, of south Pine street, entertained at six o'clock dinner today in honor of Earl Monroe and his sister, Miss Ina Monroe of Springfield, Ill.

Miss Margaret Forak, returned this morning to her home in Columbus, after a visit with her aunt Mrs. W. M. Weitz, of south Pine street.

Rev. Father Corbett, of Notre Dame University, was a guest over Sunday at St. Rose parsonage. Rev. Corbett celebrated the high mass at St. Rose at 9 a. m. and preached a very able sermon.

her daughter Susan, and the venerable mother of Judge Miller, spent Sunday, in Delphos.

BASE BALL.

Reds Won Double Header From Philadelphia.

The Reds won both of yesterday's games with Philadelphia, giving Cincinnati credit for five victories out of the series of six games with the Quakers.

Yesterday's Results.
First Game—Cincinnati 9, Philadelphia 5; second game—Cincinnati 7, Philadelphia 4; St. Louis 5, Brooklyn 4; Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 5.

Games Today.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
New York at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at Boston.

How the Clubs Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Pittsburgh	53	24	.689
New York	46	28	.622
Chicago	47	33	.588
Cincinnati	41	35	.539
Brooklyn	37	36	.507
Boston	30	44	.405
St. Louis	28	50	.359
Philadelphia	23	55	.295

Deisel Factory Boys Won.
The Stars, which include the cream of the base ball players in the north end, met their Waterloo yesterday, on the Haller street grounds, and they owe their defeat to a carefully selected team made up of the boys employed at Deisel's cigar factory. It wasn't quite such an inglorious downfall as sustained by Napoleon, as it required ten innings to decide the contest. An error in the tenth helped the factory boys to the winning run, and the final score stood 14 to 13.

The Ladies A.M. Society of the west Wayne street Church of Christ will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Leatherman, of west Wayne street. All members are requested to be present.

By order of

SECRETARY.

Itchiness of the skin, horrible plague. Most everybody afflicted in one way or another. Only one safe, never failing cure. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Now Is the Great Opportunity to Buy.

PARASOLS AT LESS THAN HALF.

Every Parasol in our stock is marked for quick selling regardless of cost or value.

\$1.50 Parasols at 75c. \$2.50 Parasols at 98c.
\$4.50 Parasols at \$1.98. \$5.00 Parasols at \$2.50.

We are determined to close out every Parasol and these prices will surely clear our shelves.

Many Decided Bargains All Through the Store.

AMONG THEM

Black Taffeta and Gloria Twilled Umbrellas, \$1.50 ones, \$1.19.
Black Umbrellas, 26 and 28 inch with pretty handles, \$2.50 ones, \$1.48.
Black Umbrellas of high grade Silks, values \$3.98 to \$6.50, at \$2.98.
Every White Waist greatly reduced. See those at 79c and 98c.
Beautiful White Waists at \$1.19, \$1.50, \$1.98 and \$2.50.
Great Walking Skirt Bargains, (good styles) at \$2.98 and \$3.98.
Children's Trimmed Hats at less than one half. See those at 69c, \$1.25 and \$1.98.
Great Bargains in White Goods, at 9c, 16c and 25c.
Great Bargains in Wash Petticoats at 39c, 50c and 89c.
Bargains in Muslin Underwear.
Bargains in Hosiery, Gloves and Knit Underwear.

Feldmann & Co.
209-211 N. Main Street.

JACKSON IS HEARD FROM

Court Has Up Burning of Hotel and Attempted Bribery of Ewen.

Jackson, Ky., July 20.—Circuit court convened here today in special session for the investigation of the burning of the Ewen hotel, and the attempt bribery of Captain B. J. Ewen, principal witness for the prosecution in the assassination cases of Curtis Jett and Tom White. Judge Redwine refused to vacate the bench, and empaneled the grand jury, which is being charged to investigate not only the burning of Ewen's hotel and the alleged attempt to bribe him, but also the assassination of Dr. B. D. Cox, which occurred in April 1902. The jury was taken from the regular jury panel,

selected by the jury commissioners, who are Hargis' constituents, and this is causing dissatisfaction. Owing to Capt. Ewen's declaration that he expected to be killed when he went to Jackson today to testify before the special grand jury, a detail of soldiers was sent here by Col. Williams to escort him to Jackson. The soldiers were unable to find Ewen this morning, owing to the fact he does not spend two nights at the same place consecutively, for fear of assassination. He will leave at 2 o'clock this morning for Jackson, and remain in camp there with the soldiers.

MACHINE GOT BEYOND POWER

Of Chaffeur to Control, and Two Men Are Seriously Injured.

Schneectady, N. Y., July 20.—As the result of an automobile accident, which occurred yesterday near this city, W. F. Knight have sustained injuries which probably will result in the death of the former and the maiming of the latter. They were coming down from the Saratoga valley, when the machine got beyond their control, and it dashed down a precipitous embankment, throwing both men out. Both men are well known in local society circles. Mr. Knight is a well-known golfer.

RETAIL

Clerks Prepare for Their Annual Outing.

Cedar Point Again Chosen and a Cordial Invitation Is Extended to Everybody.

The retail salesmen have the picnic fever, and the reminder of what a grand success the first annual event was, last year, has added to the enthusiasm. Yesterday afternoon, the committee on arrangements met at Chown's agency, and decided that Cedar Point could not be improved upon for a day's outing, and it was the unanimous verdict that arrangements to that end be made.

The date was the next consideration, and it was decided to fix the big clerk's holiday for July 29, a week from Wednesday. The Lake Erie & Western did splendid service last year, and the company will no doubt be compelled to increase its accommodations, since the invitation is extended to all who wish to take the trip. The crowd will be doubled in another way, as a committee was appointed to accompany the Lima boys, to Cedar Point, on the same day.

Watch Us.

at F. R. Hunsaker's still in full blast. Don't miss getting some of the good things.

SERVICES WERE MARKED

By Extreme Simplicity. Railroad Men Attend Arthur Funeral.

Cleveland, July 20.—The funeral of the late Chief P. M. Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers took place this afternoon from the family residence, 1429 Euclid avenue, Rev. Dr. Paul F. Sutphen, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Harrington. The floral offerings were great profusion, the casket being almost hidden by immense banks of flowers. Hundreds of railway men, representing all sections of the country, were

P. M. C. NOTICE.

All members of the Protected Home Circle, are requested to be present in the Gazette hall, Wednesday evening, July 22, at 7:30 o'clock, as the place of meeting has been changed

from Donse hall to the Gazette hall.

Let there be a full attendance as there will be initiation of candidates, installation of officers and other business of importance will be transacted.

BIG

Oil Co. Gets Into Court

On a Petition

For Money and a Receiver.

Plaintiff Claims Violation of Contract in Completion of Wells

And Declares That a Mortgage Indebtedness of \$50,000 Prevents Payments of Debts and Operation of the Property.

Frank B. Craig vs United Oil Producing Co., Maire Bros. a co-partnership, The National Supply Co., Hercules Torpedo Co., and the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., is the caption of a petition filed Saturday evening by Craig and Parmeter, and the causes of action, together with a description of the property involved, cover 20 pages of type written matter.

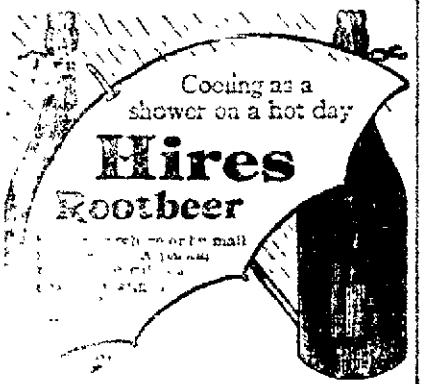
The plaintiff says that on the 20th of December, 1902, the United Oil Producing Co. entered into a contract with him for the lease of premises in Perry township. It was agreed to complete one well within 40 days, and if oil was found in paying quantities, another well was to be completed within 50 days from the date of contract, and so on, until five wells were drilled; failure to do so obligating the company to pay \$250 for each well not completed. It is set out that three wells were drilled within the time specified and oil found in paying quantities, but the last two wells were not established and the company is held to account for the sum of \$500, for violation of the contract. An additional sum of \$50 is asked for damage to growing crops, making a total, with interest of \$610, for which judgment is asked.

SECOND CAUSE

Brings the Real Issue of the Petition to the Surface.

The plaintiff explains further that the United Oil Producing Co., is indebted to Maire Bros. in the sum of \$50,000 to secure which indebtedness, the defendants attempted to execute a mortgage on its property, under which instrument Maire Bros. claim the right to all of the oil production from the leases later described, and has been receiving and selling the same, whereby the United Oil Producing Co., is without means to pay its debts, and obligations, or to fulfill its contracts. By this means, Maire Bros. are given priority of payment as against the other creditors.

It is alleged that at the time the mortgage deed was attempted to be executed, the defendants did not deliver the property described to Maire Bros., nor followed by a change of possession, neither was there any oil in the wells.



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chattel mortgage with the recorder of Allen county.

The plaintiff says that the United Oil Producing Co., is insolvent, that it is indebted to numerous creditors; that it is not making any effort to pay off or discharge its obligations; that the assets in the way of leases is all the property of any value, and that the same is insufficient to pay the liabilities. In order to preserve the property, which under present conditions cannot help but be operated at a loss, the plaintiff asks that the court appoint a receiver, and that the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., be restrained from receiving further runs of oil from the property until the rights of the parties to the suit are finally decided.

The petition contains complete descriptions of the following leases, which are included in what the defendants control in Allen county: A. J. Osman to H. C. Curren, 38.87 acres; N. R. Freed to Perry Oil Co., 40 acres, same, 40 acres; Albert Heffner to I. R. Cheuvront, 80 acres; Albert Heffner to Cheuvront and Mann, 40 acres; Geary, W. McPherson to J. E. Cheuvront, 27 acres; Henry H. Heffner and Edward Heintz, to C. W. Duncan, 58 acres; G. A. Snider to Roth, Argue and Co., 30 acres; T. S. Hawthorne to D. A. Herring, 100 acres; I. B. McPherson to Spelacy, Hill and Co., 10 acres; an oil lease on the Mack farm of 40 acres; A. J. Wise to Maire Bros., 24 acres; Oha Shick to Maire Bros., 10 acres (not given); Harshner and Fager to Duff Bros., and Gilbert, 20 acres; Christ Aussi to Maire Bros., 23 acres; Abraham Reiter to Maire Bros., 35 acres. The total number of completed wells on the properties described is 54.

Judge Cunningham granted temporary restraining order against the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., and the application for a receiver will be heard, Wednesday.

Treat Your Kidneys, or Rheumatism. When you are suffering from rheumatism, the kidneys must be attended to at once so that they will eliminate the uric acid from the blood. Foley's Kidney Cure is the most effective remedy for this purpose. R. T. Hopkins, of Polar, Wis., says: "After unsuccessfully doctoring three years for rheumatism with the best doctors, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and it cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this great medicine." It purifies the blood by straining out impurities and tones up the whole system. Cures kidney and bladder troubles. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North Sts.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS To West, Northwest, South and Southwest via Pennsylvania Lines. July 7th, 21st, August 4th and 18th. Home-Seekers' tickets will be sold to points in the west, northwest south and southwest. For particulars regarding rates, etc., apply to ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines. Aug 18

Time For All Things. Asked why he left hell out of a recent sermon, Brother Dickey replied: "Ever-thing to his season. Whilst I was a preachin' dat sermon, de thermometer wuz in de nineties, en hell spoke for itself."—Atlanta Constitution.

Not Exactly what She Meant. "Ah, yes," she said proudly, "we can trace our ancestry back to—well, I don't know just who, but we've been descending for centuries."—Chicago Evening Post.

The Limit. Erase—is Mabel really such a crank on the subject of microbes? Emily—I should say so. Why, she won't let a man kiss her unless he's had his mustache sterilized.—Ex.

A Lively Boy. "That boy of yours appears to be unusually brisk in all his movements." "My boy? You're right he is. Why, he was the very first boy to get into the hospital on the Fourth."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

As Defined. "Say, mamma," queried little Mary Ellen, "what's a dead letter?" "Any letter that is given to your father to mail, my dear," replied the wise mother.—Chicago News.

Ignorance Acquired. Brander Matthews sometimes treats his Columbian pupils to a somewhat bewildering exhibition of word juggling. According to the New York World he was giving his English literature class a brief dissertation on a certain living author whose works he does not greatly admire.

"He may have taken a four-year course in ignorance," said Professor Matthews; "but he must have been born very ignorant, too. For at his early age he could not possibly have acquired all the ignorance he possesses."

Didn't Stop for the Engine. Some of his shopmates tell of a chunky young man employed in one of the Kensington factories who, on being discharged by the superintendent, deliberately walked up to the fire alarm button on the wall and pressed it vigorously, reports the Philadelphia Ledger.

"What in thunder did you do that for?" asked the superintendent.

"Isn't that one of your rules?" queried the discharged man, as he edged toward the door, at the same time indicating the placard over the button: "In case of fire press the button."

Cholera Infantum. This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

Her Definition. Little Edith went to the kindergarten, according to the New York Times. One day the teacher gave her a list of words, telling the little miss to find out their meaning and then write a sentence containing each word. The first word was "niche" and the little Miss Bright Eyes discovers that it means a recess, so she very carefully and precisely wrote on the slate:

"The children ate their lunch at niche."

And the teacher wondered at the flexibility of the English language.

Saw Her First. Molly—Yes, I saw May Borem at the musicale last night.

Polly—Strange. She told me today that she didn't see you there, although she was looking for you.

Molly—Of course, stupid! Didn't I just tell you I saw her.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Precautionary. Van Quizz—"Why do you keep all your windows and doors shut in mid-July? Are you crazy?"

Flattie Brook—"No. But I refuse to let any more drafts come in."

Good Plan. Stubb—Yes, I think we would have better protection if they put two policemen on this beat.

Penn—Think so?

Stubb—Yes; one would snore so loud he'd wake the other up.—Chicago News

He Scooped No More. He (after a tiff)—Going home to your mother, eh?

She—Yes, I am.

He—Huh! What do you suppose she'll say to you?

She—She'll say, "I told you so." (He made up.)—New York Weekly.

AS TO MY DOG. I have a dog that wags his tail. And knocks my breech-bag all agog. Until I most devoutly wish The tail would pitch in and wag the dog.

—Baltimore News

A SONG OF THE SEA. "What are the wild waves saying?" He asked; she made retort: "Why, they are simply playing. They are at this resort!"

"But why is it they are moaning?" She asked; "Ah, do not joke!" He answered, madly groaning: They moan because they are broke!"

—Baltimore News.

Too Much Doing. Actor—Say, I can't play all three of the parts you have assigned me in this melodrama.

Manager—Why not?

Actor—Because in the first act two of them engage in a fight and the third rushes in and separates them. See?—Exchange.

He Got the Job. "If you don't believe I'm an expert stenographer," indignantly exclaimed the applicant for the place, "just ask me any questions and see if I don't qualify."

"I will," sternly replied the Hopkingsplace merchant; "how do you spell 'geography'?"

"That's easy," said the sneering one: "J-e-o-g-r-a-f-y, Jeogery."

And in the face of such indisputable evidence what could the poor man do?—Baltimore News.



SHERIFF'S SALE.

Paulina Sherrick, petitioner, vs. Griffith John, et al., respondents. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, July 25th, 1903, between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the village of Elida and German township, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The north half (1/2) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of section number eight (8) in township number three (3) south, of range number six (6) east, in the county and state aforesaid, containing eighty (80) acres of land, more or less. Appraised at fifty-three (\$53.00) dollars per acre, amounting to forty-two hundred and forty (\$4240) dollars.

Also, the northeast fraction of the south half (1/2) of section number seven (7), in township number three (3) south of range number six (6) east, in the county and state aforesaid, containing ninety-three and eighty-six (93.86) acres of land, more or less, except two (2) acres out of the northeast corner thereof on December 7th, A. D. 1898, by Jesse J. John, sold and conveyed to Dora John; and also save and except another tract in the northeast corner thereof, containing two (2) acres of land, more or less, being the tract of land by Griffith John, et al., on August 23rd, 1902, sold and conveyed to Louisa W. Rittenour. Appraised at fifty-four hundred (\$5400.00) dollars. Also, all that part of the southeast fraction of the south half (1/2) of section seven (7) in township number three (3) south, of range number six (6) east, in the county and state aforesaid, lying north of a line running fifty (50) feet north of and parallel of the center line of right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway Company and north and west of the lot of land on January 6th, A. D. 1875 by Jesse J. John and wife, sold and conveyed to Joseph Askins and north and west of Griffith John's north addition and J. J. John's addition to the village of Elida, the same being all that certain tract of land which is now designated upon the plats of the county and known as lot number nine (9) for taxable purposes, containing twenty (20) acres of land, more or less. Appraised at fifty-five (\$55.00) per acre, amounting to \$1100.00.

Also, in-lot number fifty-four (54) in the village of Elida, in the county and state aforesaid, appraised at fifty (\$50.00) dollars. The east half (1/2) of in-lot number fifty-five (55) in the village of Elida in the county and state aforesaid, appraised at fifty (\$50.00) dollars. In-lot No. (114), appraised at five hundred (\$500.00) dollars; in-lot No. (115), appraised at one hundred and fifty (\$150.00) dollars; in-lot No. (116), appraised at fifty (\$50.00) dollars; in-lot No. (117), appraised at fifty (\$50.00) dollars; in-lot No. (118), appraised at fifty (\$50.00) dollars; in-lot number one hundred and sixty (160), appraised at \$150.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-one (161), appraised at \$70.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-two (162), appraised at \$150.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-three (163), appraised at \$40.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-four (164), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-five (165), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-six (166), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-seven (167), appraised at \$50.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-eight (168), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and sixty-nine (169), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy (170), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-one (171), appraised at \$40.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-two (172), appraised at \$30.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-three (173), appraised at \$135.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-four (174), appraised at \$45.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-five (175), appraised at \$40.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-six (176), appraised at \$30.00; in-lot number one hundred and seventy-seven (177), appraised at \$20.00.

All of said lots being in the village of Elida, Allen county, Ohio.

Total appraisement twelve thousand four hundred and sixty (\$12,460.00) dollars. The above being subject to a lease of Jesse C. John for the farm lands expiring September 1st, 1903. Also, subject to the right of way of the Lima, Delphos, Van Wert and Ft. Wayne Traction Company for an electric railroad.

Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, June 20th, 1903.

JOHN F. LINDEMANN, Plaintiff's Attorney. 215-m-tu-5wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Andrew Shuler, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Andrew Shuler, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 1st day of July, A. D. 1903.

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The Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets to Chautauqua Lake and return on July 3rd and 24th. Tickets good for 30 days on each excursion. See Erie agents or address,

R. H. WALLACE, A. G. P. A. Erie Railroad, Cleveland, O. 15-d&w to July 24th

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For any organization or club wishing an excellent camping ground, no better place could be selected than the Big Miami River between Dayton and Hamilton. The river is shaded on both sides, and affords excellent fishing and boating. The C. H. & D. will be glad to assist any party in securing a suitable camping site, and will make special rates. Address D. G. Edwards, Pass. Traf. Mgr., Cincinnati, O. July 8-3wsk

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LOW FARES TO BALTIMORE VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

July 18th and 19th excursion tickets to Baltimore, account annual meeting, Grand Lodge, Elks, will be sold via Pennsylvania lines. Ask nearest ticket agent about the rates.

214-d&w to July 19

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SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

Commencing June 1st, and continuing daily until Sept. 30th, the Erie railroad will sell low rate round trip tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Greenwood Springs, Colo. Ogden, Salt Lake City, El Paso, Tex., St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets good returning Oct. 31, 1903. For information, see your nearest Erie agent, or write,

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RAILROAD	
Time card in effect June 14, 1903, from Lima.	
No.	Trains West.
7 Pacific Exp. for Chic.	Am 12:28am
9 Buffalo-Chicago L.V.	Am 1:45am
21 Chicago Exp. for Chic.	Am 8:42am
3 N. Y.-Chicago L.V.	Am 11:33am
13 Wells Fargo Exp. for Chic.	Am 11:33am
Monday	3:57pm
27 Local Frt.	ex. Sun. arrives 5:30pm
Trains East.	
8 N. Y. and Columbus, daily	4:05am
22 Marion-Columbus, ex. Sun.	8:21am
4 N. Y.-Boston L.V.	daily 4:33pm
10 Buffalo-Chicago, daily	11:05pm
No. 13 will not carry baggage.	
S. H. SIMPSON, Agent.	

C. E. & D. RAILROAD.	
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 7 Daily, leave	2:10am
No. 11 Daily ex. Sunday, leave	5:30am
No. 13 Daily ex. Sunday, leave	8:50am
No. 5 Daily, leave	12:41pm
No. 8 Daily, leave	4:10pm
No. 9 Daily, leave	8:10pm
No. 15 Daily ex. Sunday, leave	9:25pm
No. 13 Daily ex. Sunday, arrive only	9:30pm
No. 65 Sunday only, leave	6:50am
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 12 Daily, leave	2:35am
No. 14 Daily, leave ex. Sunday	5:30am
No. 2 Daily ex. Sunday, leave	8:05am
No. 6 Daily, leave	11:57am
No. 4 Daily ex. Sunday, leave	4:35pm
No. 8 Daily, leave	6:05pm
No. 10 Daily ex. Sunday, arrive only	9:00pm
No. 60 Sunday only, leave	7:45am
No. 68 Sunday only, arrive only	6:55pm

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14th, 1903.

Going South.	
1 Daily except Sunday	2:15 p.m.
3 Daily except Sunday	6:00 a.m.
21 Sunday only	2:15 p.m.
23 Sunday only, arrives	11:50 p.m.
Going North.	
2 Daily except Sunday	10:55 a.m.
4 Daily except Sunday, Arr.	8:25 p.m.
22 Sunday only, arrives	10:55 a.m.
4 Sunday only, departs	5:45 a.m.
Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, Ohio.	
Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and fronton, Ohio.	
Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.	
Trains Nos. 23 and 24 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.	

L. E. & W.	
No.	West.
1 Daily, leaves	9:55 a.m.
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	4:23 p.m.
3 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	4:30 a.m.
East.	
8 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	8:09 a.m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves	12:50 M.
2 Daily, leaves	5:55 p.m.
12 Lake Spl., Sun. only, Lv.	7:00 a.m.

P. F. W. & C.	
In effect May 24th, 1903.	
No.	East.
2 Pgh. special, daily	12:46am
6 Pgh. & N. Y., daily	1:55am
36 Crestline accm., da. ex. Sun	9:05am
30 Alliance accm., da. ex. Sun	2:15pm
22 Seashore Limited	4:27pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y., daily	9:30pm
2 Limited Express, daily	11:07pm
West.	
15 Chgo. & West, daily	1:53am
23 Chgo. & West, daily	10:23am
39 Chgo. & West, da. ex. Sun	9:28am
9 Chgo. & West, daily	2:37pm
35 Ft. Wayne accm., da. ex. Sun	5:30pm
F. M. EAKIN, Agent.	

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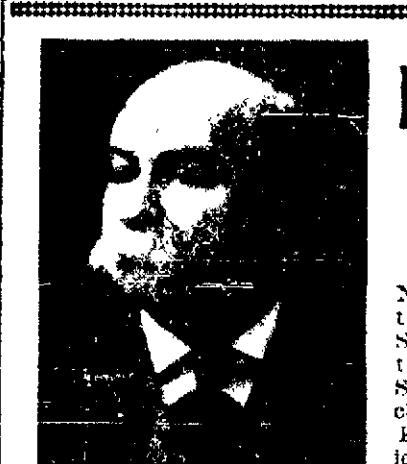
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MANGLED REMAINS

Of Albert Keller, Farmer, Found Along
Erie Track Near Conant.

Is Supposed to Have Fallen From an East Bound
Freight Train--Leaves Wife and Family
Living North of Conant.

Late Saturday night, the frightfully mangled remains of a man were seen along the C & E railroad track, near the little station of Conant, about 10 miles west of this city. Information concerning the gruesome discovery was wired to the division superintendent's office at Huntington, Ind., and the police department here was requested to notify coroner Bice. The latter and a crew of section men soon reached the scene and found the body of the unfortunate victim to have been ground to a pulp, several trains probably having passed over the body before it was discovered.

Head Was Missing.
When Coroner Bice and the C & E section men reached the scene of the accident, the victim's head and not yet been found and the body was so frightfully mangled and the clothing so thoroughly torn to pieces that the possibility of identifying the remains seemed very remote but after a long search during which pieces of flesh and shreds of clothing were found along the road for a distance of a quarter of a mile, the missing head was found in the weeds at one side of the track some distance from the point where the trunk of the body had been found.

Face Was Recognized.
After the head was found, some of the residents of the vicinity, who had congregated at the scene of the tragedy, recognized and identified the distorted face as that of Albert Keller, a young farmer, who lived, with his wife and their one infant child, on a farm about one mile north of Conant. The sad news of the man's violent death, was conveyed to the young widow and after the remains had been taken in charge by an undertaker from Spencerville the body was taken to the grief stricken home, and from there, the funeral was held today.

Had Visited Spencerville.
The unfortunate man had gone to Spencerville Saturday evening and it is supposed that upon starting for home about 11 o'clock, he boarded an east bound freight train on the C & E, expecting to alight from the train as it ascended the heavy grade extending from the Auglaize river to the station at Conant. Whether he fell in attempting to alight from the train or was thrown off by a tramp, will probably never be known. The deceased was about 24 years of age and was well known in the community in which he resided.

BOND

Of Postmaster Hall
Renewed

And Approved.

Rumor That He Had
Been Re-appointed

Caused Consternation in the
Camp of the Anti-
Hanna Crowd.

Bond Holds Good for Four Years
and Re-appointment Is Not
Necessary--In Local and
State Politics.

There was a ghost story in the camp of the anti-Hanna Hall republicans of Lima Saturday night when a rumor went the rounds to the effect that Postmaster Hall had been re-appointed. All the glory was taken out of the recent victories of the former Sanford Campbellites when the crushing statement was brought into camp announcing that the post office commission which has been the bone of contention between the rival factions have fought bitterly through many campaigns was again captured by their factional enemy, the big boss of the Hanna tribe.

There was much weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth principally the latter, for some time and then when the truth became known there was little encouragement found in it.

Postmaster Hall has not been re-appointed or re-commissioned but has simply had his bond renewed and in accordance with the title the bond is for a period of four years. It has been approved by Postmaster General Payne and Mr. Hall received official notice of that fact Saturday evening.

The fact that is now causing most of the anxiety in the camp of the Campbellites is that since Hall's bond has been renewed and accepted he can serve four years more whether re-appointed or not and if the powers at Washington do not see fit to end the controversy by either re-appointing Hall or by appointing some one of the other faction, the matter may hang fire for an indefinite period of time, and Hall can continue to draw the salary of P. M.

There is but little foundation for the story that Captain Amos, of Lima, was defeated by treachery for

senator in the Twelfth District two years ago, said Congressman Harvey Garber at democratic headquarters in Columbus. I have carefully analyzed the returns and find that Colonel Kilbourne and the rest of the state ticket lost the district also Captain Amos running about 100 behind. It was all due to the slump in politics caused by the deplorable death of President McKinley. This year the result will be different and I look for the normal democratic majority which means the retirement of Senator Orle E. Harrison of Greenville. But I think it only fair that the eternal charge of treachery toward Amos should be silenced forever.

Senator Wm. Docket of Paulding the Cornish Statesman, as admirer of his mixed vigor are wont to call him, has ideas upon the kind of material from which to choose democratic candidates for United States Senators. In his paper this week he gives out this handful of common sense says a Columbus dispatch to the Enquirer.

As Mayor Jones is not a democrat and has repeatedly insisted that he is not we are inclined to believe there are many thousands of democrats in the state who would much prefer to support one who pleads guilty to the charge of belonging to their party. The Ohio democrats have had one experience of supporting a man for the United States senate outside of their party and of there are any who were pleased with the experience we have not heard them proclaiming it in recent years. Anything to beat Hanna is a slogan that suits us if you draw on the democratic ranks for the material."

A. O. U. W.—SPECIAL MEETING.

Tuesday evening all members are earnestly requested to be present. Urgent business.

The ladies of Allen Hive No. 197, will hold a special review tomorrow afternoon in the Donze hall. Business of importance to be transacted. By order of

LADY COMMANDER

\$1.25 COLUMBUS & RETURN \$1.25
On Sunday July 26th the Erie R. R. will run a special excursion to Columbus, Ohio and return at rate of \$1.25. Special train leaves Lima at 7:15 a. m. returning leaves Columbus at 7:00 p. m.

The Great Clearance Sale
We're always busy but are now busier than usual with our remodeling. We are CUTTING PRICES DEEP. See the ROCKERS in our NORTH WINDOW, you certainly know whether they are bargains or not.

F. E. HARMAN'S
"The Big Store."

WIFE

Of A. L. Boggs Is
in This City

While Husband

Is Endeavoring to Make
Explanations.

Mrs. Boggs Is at Home of
Parents on Bellefontaine
Avenue.

Assurances of Husband That All Is
Right Are Handicapped by a
Press Dispatch From
Columbus.

Mrs. Bessie Boggs, wife of the Cincinnati agent for an Eastern Thread company, against whom a suit for alimony has been filed by an alleged first wife, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rarden, on Bellefontaine avenue. The Rarden family removed to this city, sometime ago from Columbus and lived, until quite recently at 422 north McDonell street removing from there about two weeks ago to the present residence, just east of Harrison avenue, on Bellefontaine avenue. Mrs. Boggs, No. 2, hopes that her husband will be able to clear up the tangle, that his matrimonial record is now in, and declines to make a statement for publication until such time as she is fully convinced as to the real facts of the case. She admits that Mr. Boggs was here Friday and that he gave assurances that he would be able to prove that the eastern woman in the case now has no claim upon him.

Boggs in Cincinnati.
The Sunday Enquirer contained the following concerning the developments in the Boggs case in that city: A L. Boggs, manager of the Crouseka Thread Co. of Worcester, Mass., returned to the city yesterday and was seen at his office 708 Main street.

Mr. Boggs said that he had been to Lynn, Mass., to see his first wife for whom in June last Attorney George L. Williams filed suit in common pleas court for alimony. From what Mr. Boggs claims the last promises to be a rather complicated one. Attorney Williams states that the first Mrs. Boggs has no claim in the suit, but that the proceedings were instituted under instructions from her lawyer in Boston.

What Boggs Claims.
Mr. Boggs said that when he saw his first wife the other day she insisted that she had authorized no one to bring the suit, and admitted that she had no claim whatever on him. He declared that he was divorced from him and protests that he has been guilty of no wrong. He says that he is devoted to his second wife and she to him.

Mr. Victor Shaffer, Mr. Boggs atorney, stated yesterday that there is no estrangement of his client and the second wife and that as soon as matters are settled up with the woman at Lynn, Mass., they will live together again. The couple have a bright child 18 months old and those acquainted with them speak in the highest terms of their devotion to each other.

Mr. Boggs stopped off at Lima to see his second wife, who with the child is with her parents there. Then he came on yesterday morning to Cincinnati.

Aroused Indignation.
The petition of Mrs. Boggs, No. 1, was recorded on June 21st, and recited that she had been married to A. L. Boggs, at Haverhill, Mass. in 1890, that he had deserted her three years ago and had not provided for her support which he was abundantly able to give and moreover he was living at Norwood, Ohio with Bessie Rarden.

It was the last clause in the petition that aroused the indignation of Mrs. Boggs No. 2 and her friends.

INFORMATION
From the Capitol City Requires More Explanations.

The following dispatch from Columbus, in which Boggs claims he married Miss Rarden, will require some further explanation by the former.

"The probate court records show the following:
"License issued on October 6, 1900, to Albert Boggs, aged 32, residence of Cincinnati, occupation, salesman, and Elizabeth Rardin, aged 24, residence Columbus. Name of father, E. J.



Special Jubilee Sale

Bargains for Parents During Children's Week.



Children's Underwear.

It pays to buy the right sort of Underwear for your children, saves doctor bills. We have made this question of Children's Underwear something of a study, both from an economical and a hygienic standpoint, and there is no class of goods on which we use more care in buying. The right sort of Children's Underwear will be sold during children's week for sharp reductions in price.

Boys' Underwear, ecru in fine ribbed, taped with pearl buttons, in vest and drawers, ankle lengths, at 18c.

Misses' fine ribbed Pants, knee length, lace trimmed, sizes 2 to 6, for 10c.

Misses' fine ribbed Vests in three different styles, low neck no sleeves, high neck and long sleeves, sizes 18 to 34, and cost from 10 to 20c.

Misses' fancy ribbed Vest, fine lisle with lace trimmed, all sizes, at 25c.

Children's plain fine ribbed pant at 15 and 20c.

Children's Hose.

If you have been watching the papers carefully you know that the price of raw cotton has gone very high, higher than it has been for several years. This means that the next hose we buy will cost us a great deal more than those we are selling during the July Jubilee Sale. A word to the wise is sufficient; You cannot invest your money at any better interest than in buying a liberal stock of these hose.

Children's fine ribbed double knee, heel and toe, all sizes, from 5 to 10c.

Fast Black at 10c per pair. Children's heavy ribbed double knee, all sizes from 6 to 10, at 12 1/2c per pair.

Children's fine ribbed black Hose, double sole, extra fine cotton, at 15c.

Boys' Hose, fine ribbed, heavy weight, double knee, all sizes, our leader for 18c.

A special lot ladies plain colored Hose, also fancy, at one-half and some at less than half-price during this sale.

G. E. Bluem.

Money making is not the only object of this business. Reputation building, satisfaction giving and perfect storekeeping is the trinity that is responsible for our growth.

G. E. Bluem

It is a duty you owe to yourself to keep in close touch with this store. Never a day passes but what we can help you to save money on your purchases.

Shirtwaists.

We have not forgotten the elders in this children's week of the July Jubilee Sale. For them we have these splendid values in Shirt Waists and Separate Skirts. The buying of these garments has been very liberal for a number of days; but the stock was much the largest ever shown in this city and excellent choice is here yet.

Many styles of White Lawn Waists trimmed with embroidery insertion and cluster of tucks, worth \$1.38, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 at one-half.

India Linon Waists in the fine sheer quality, beautifully trimmed, full bishop sleeves, at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Special good values in black Jap Silk Waist at \$2.98.

Skirts.

The care we exercise in buying Skirts begins with the weaving of the goods. Do you know any other store that goes as far back as that? After we have discovered just the right sort of cloth we find a careful tailor and then, lest he should skimp in the making, we watch him carefully. Sometimes we reject scores of skirts he makes for us because they would not suit our trade. All this is strong reason why you should buy here.

New and advanced Ladies Skirts, all colors and sizes at \$5.75 and \$6.00.

Special lot of good styles Walking Skirts worth \$2.98, \$5.00 and \$7.50, reduced to \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98.

G. E. Bluem.

CHILDREN'S WEEK.

Children's white French Dresses plain with blue piping, size four years; at \$1.25 each.

Children's white French Dresses box pleated and embroidered, size 4 years, at \$1.25.

Children's white French Dresses, lace trimmed, hemstitched, in size 4 years, at \$1.50.

Children's white French Dresses, embroidered, trimmed low neck and short sleeves, in sizes 2, 3 and 4 years, at \$2.00 each.

Children's white Dresses, French styles, long sleeves and high neck, tucked with embroidered insertion, in size four years, at \$2.25.

Children's fine white Dresses, French styles, in several designs with lace and fine embroidered trimmed, in sizes 3 and 4 years, at \$2.50.

Children's Lace Caps.

Children's white Caps, fine tucked, different sizes, 50c. Children's fine white Caps, with rich embroidered trimmed, special, at 75c each.

Children's long and short Skirts, range in price from 50c to \$2.00 each.

Children's long white Cotton Dresses, at 25c to \$2.50 each.

This is Not Only Children's Week,

But a real Summer Clearing Sale. Special good bargains in every department throughout the entire house. Summer Wash Fabrics at one-half of their real values. Do not miss them, in side room, ground floor.

G. E. Bluem.



Dry Goods,

Dress Goods,

and Suit House.



INJURY

Sustained by Night Sergeant
I. M. Armstrong.

Night sergeant of police I. M. Armstrong is suffering from a slight injury that he sustained a few days ago while in a friendly tussle with mayor's clerk Fred Armstrong. One of the small bones in the officer's left hand was broken but he did not know the extent of the injury for several days although it caused him more or less pain constantly.

LIMA COUNCIL NO. 20 R. & S. M.

Special assembly tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Work, inspection, refreshments.

W. J. SHEPHERD, Th. Ill. M. WALLACE LANDIS, Recorder

The Program.

The opening number at Miss Watson's violin concert Wednesday evening at Congregational church is March Triumphant by Goria for two pianos.

This is a grand and majestic selection and has never failed to delight any audience. Tickets 25c 9-2t

HALF RATES TO COLUMBUS.

The Chicago & Erie R. R. will sell round trip tickets at one fare rate, July 20 and 21, good returning July 23, to Columbus. See agent. 37-5t

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Stated communication this evening. Work.

CHAS. W. LEWIS, W. M. WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

SHOES

REPAIRED.

The cheapest place in town to get your shoes fixed is at LOUIE'S PLACE, N. E. Cor. Public Square, rear of Sontag's cigar store. The best Oak Tan leather used. Open from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Satisfaction on all work guaranteed. July 15-16

Heads at 48c.

Worth lots more. We bought these at a bargain and sell them to you accordingly. They are good like noses of Hiawatha and Black Bear celebrated Indian characters. There is in the window, stop and see them at F. E. HARMAN'S

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